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Mrs. Martha Erwin and her boys started for an extended visit to McVeytown this week.

Mrs. Roy Wildman, of Fallsington, and Mrs. Hogan were visitors here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Charstone entertained friends on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos P. Stradling are visiting friends in West Chester this week.

The Sunday school quarterly meeting convened at the home of Miss Milly Spencer, on Monday evening. The average attendance for the quarter was thirty-four. The different parts of the school are flourishing. A strawberry festival will be held June 21st.

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EDGELY ETCHINGS

Mrs. Harry Holland was a Trenton visitor on Saturday.

William Fink has had his launch nicely painted and it is now ready to be put over for the season.

Prof. Thompson and a number of his scholars spent the Memorial Day holidays at his summer residence at Riverview.

Miss Beulah Markwood, of Burlington is spending several weeks with her uncle, Al. Frazier, of Grieb avenue, Rverview.

Memorial Day was quietly observed by our residents and a large number of flags were to be seen everywhere There was a large number of visitors at Riverview and Headley Manor over the holiday.

Edgely has again been placed upon the map. The trolley company has arranged the points of fare collections and the zone is now from the Bristol cemetery to Edgely avenue and from this point to Penn Valley. The fare is now twenty cents from Bristol to Trenton.

William Eames, of Philadelphia, has rented the house recently erected by William Fischer near the railroad and will occupy it with his family during the summer months.

A couple of suspicious looking characters have been noticed lounging about Headley Manor recently and the residents are buying new locks for their chicken houses and loading their shotguns.

A family from across the canal has rented the bungalow belonging to Mrs. Mary Fischer.

Mrs C. Harrigan, G. Buchler, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Schwartz, of Tioga, and Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Buchler, of Bristol, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Harry Simpson.

William M. Remine was a Trenton visitor on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kensil, of Philadelphia, were the guests of relatives in Edgely over Sunday.

John E. Sowden, of Philadelphia, was the week-end guest of relatives at this place.

Oliver R. Frazier, of Riverview, participated in a big parade of the American Mechanics in Philadelphia one night last week.

Mrs. Alpheus J. Frazier, of River view, was taken to the Hahnemann hospital, Philadelphia, on Wednesday of last week, where an operation for appendicitis was performed. She is reported as getting along as well as can be expected.

Joseph Adams, and family, of Burlington, have rented the house at this place recently occupied by Thomas M. Medford and family and will move in tomorrow.

Mrs. Harry Simpson and daughter, Gladys, of Westfield, N. J., is spending a few days with Mrs. Harry Simpson. Sr., at the Floral Nurseries

John Campbell, gardener for Nathan C. Lane, has one of the finest patches of strawberries to be found in this section and has been picking the large, luscious fruit for the past two weeks.

Harry Simpson, manager of the Floral Exchange greenhouses, has purchased a fine new automobile.

Charles Blackford is having a garage built on his property at this place and will join the increasing array of autoists.

Have you seen the new power plant being erected by Nathan C. Lane to supply light and power for Headley Manor? It is right up-to-date and will be in working order in a short time.

NOW is the time to get the wheels a-going and see if the Pennsylvania railroad cannot be persuaded to stop a few trains here each day. It would be a big boon to the people living above Edgely avenue now that the trolley fare has been raised.

The Misses Hincken and Addison Warren, of Philadelphia, were visitors at their summer residence here over Memorial Day.

"Jack" Hibbs and Ad. Warren took an impromptu bath in the river one evening recently and had the pleasure of swimming ashore with all their clothes on. A rowboat in which they were going out to their yacht capsized. "Jack" says the only disagreeable feature of the affair was that he was compelled to sit up all alone until the "wee small hours of the morning" to get his clothes dry. Ad. fortunately had a change of clothing with him.

The Grim Reaper, Death, entered Headley Manor on Monday and departed with two lives. Mrs. Leon Bachelder gave birth to a child on Monday morning and the infant lived but a few hours. The mother died about eight o'clock the same night. Mrs. Bachelder's maiden name was Stella Graham, and she is survived by a husband, mother and brother. Mr. Bachelder is employed in the Florence foundry. Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Andalusia Articles.

Married—Freas-Fries. On Wednesday afternoon in Philadelphia, Ignatius Freas and Miss Retta Fries. Miss Fries is a a sister of Harvey and Rodman Fries

Mrs. Charles Biddle and Mrs. Thomas are very much interested in the flower guild. They are anxious that the neighborhood get interested and would like everyone to compete to see who can have the best lawn.

Frank Heritage, of Trevose, was a recent visitor here among friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoagland are about to close their city home and make their home with the latter's father, H. K. Freas, owing to the poor health of Mr. Hoagland.

Alice Conover, of Roxborough, was a recent guest of Mrs. Edith Brown.

Mrs. Willard has returned home from the hospital.

Mrs. Willliam Smith, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lippincott.

Mrs. Martin Luther spent Wednesday here with her aunt, Mrs. Rod Fries.

Mrs. John Martin, of Philadelphia, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bunting.

James Rankin spent Sunday visiting freinds in Darby.

Elmer Vansant will shortly move to his farm in Byberry.

Mrs. George Fries, of Philadelphia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen Eckert.

Mr. Hazlet has retired from business on account of poor eye-sight.

Frank Faulkner, Prudential insurance agent here, was bitten on the left leg by Allen Eckert's dog.

The play "Farmer Haskins," was largely attended on Saturday night.

George Darrah and family, of Bristol, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Darrah.

The postponed annual meeting of the Plant, Fruit and Flower Guild, will be held on Wednesday, June 4th, at 3 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Charles Biddle, Andalusia, instead of in King hall, as announced. All those who are interested in this good work are cordially invited to come help make plans for the coming year, and have a cup of tea.

The French sardine catch has been the poorest recorded for many years.

HULMEVILLE NEWS

Mrs. Margaret Heston, of Philadelphia, was a week-end visitor at the home of Cyrus Smith and family.

Mrs. Ellis Hartpence and Mrs. J. Burd, of Trenton, spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. Amy Worthington.

Misses Amy and Cynthia Leedom spent Sunday with Miss Erda Schatt.

Miss Florence Witham, of Trenton, is spending this week with Mrs. Elizabeth Tilton.

Mrs. Albert Tomlinson, of Elizabeth, spent Sunday with Cyrus Smith and family.

Miss Serena McElwee spent the week-end visiting at Camden, N. J.

Memorial services will be held at the Beechwood cemetery in the afternoon this year. The school children will be served with refreshments after the services at Charles MacCorkle's residence on Main street.

The Wild Rose Rebekah Lodge, No. 367, I. O. O. F., held a strawberry festival in the town hall on Wednesday evening.

Several members of the Independent Order of Americans attended the flag raising on Saturday evening at the new West Philadelphia high school, 47th and Walnut streets.

Neshamony Lodge, No. 422, I. O. O. F., will hold memorial services on Tuesday evening, June 10th, in the lodge room.

Several persons attended the Sunday school convention at Churchville last week.

Mr and Mrs. William S. Smith and daughter spent the week-end visiting relatives at Atlantic City.

Mrs. William Johnson and son, William, of Browns Mills, spent several days of this week visiting William Roberts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vansant and children spent the week-end at Girardville visiting the Rev. and Mrs. H. R Hoffman.

Joseph Parry, of Lionville, spent Thursday and Friday with S. K. Faust.

A. W. Snyder, the milkman, had quite a serious runaway on Friday of last week. The team was standing near the large buttonwood tree, which stands out in the street at Trenton avenue and Neshamony streets, when an auto came along, which frightened the horse, causing the horse to run. The boy in the wagon was thrown out and dragged along the street for a distance, causing a number of bruises. The top of the body of the wagon was torn off. The horse was caught near the barness shop.

Church Services.

Class meeting at 9.45 a. m., led by S. J. Illick. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Epworth League at 6.45 p. m., led by Frances Smith. Subject, "The Cross of Jesus." Preaching at 7.30 p. m., by Rev. Joseph Laird.

One day last week a runaway horse attached to a wagon came from toward South Langhorne, where the horse had had the bridle removed to feed, with the result that the horse started to run. When it made the turn at the corner of Green and Neshamony streets, the body of the wagon left the running gears and landed to one side of the road. The horse with the balance of the wagon ran down Main street, where it ran into the stone wall at the corner of Trenton avenue and Main street, further progress the horse was brought to a sudden stop. The horse was somewhat scratched about the legs, and the wagon broken. The team belonged in Bristol.

The annual meeting of the alumni was held in the school house on Saturday evening, May 24th, at 8.30 o'clock The meeting was called to order by the president, Jesse G. Webster, and the regular business transacted. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Walter Smith; vice president, Hugh Webster; secretary, Edna Hellings; treasurer, Katie Flum.

John R. Chattin preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Hulmeville high school on Sunday last at Grace church. The service was very well attended, every seat being filled and all enjoyed the beautiful service and most excellent sermon on the text," Ye are not your own, ye are bought with a price." The choir rendered beautiful music assisted by Miss Ruth Kaufmann, who sang a solo, "Come unto me." The church was decorated with daisies, the class flower, and flags.

The commencement exercises of the Hulmeville high school were held on Thursday evening, May 29th, in Hibbs' Hall, where the following programme was rendered: March, Hulmeville orchestra; invocation, Rev. Joseph Laird; remarks by president of the school board, Dr. E S. Huntsman; music, Arion Glee Club, of Bristol; president's address, Myrtle Soby, valedictorian; oration, "The Wizard," Harry Gill; vocal solo, "It takes a little rain with a little sunshine to make the world go around," John P. Curran; address, "Making The Most of Myself," Dr. Forrest E. Dager; music, Arion Glee Club; presentation to graduating class, Katie Reetz, salutatorian; essay, "My Favorite Poet," Elizabeth Schneider; vocal solo, Mrs. John P. Curran; prophecy, Myrtle Soby; presentations to junior class, Harry Gill; presentations of diplomas, Superintendent J. H. Hoffman; music, Hulmeville orchestra.

Penn's Manor Locals.

The Penns Manor Grange will hold a strawberry festival in the Grange room on Saturday evening, June 7th. Strawberries, ice cream, cakes and confectionery will be on sale. Musical and literary entertainment will be given. You will hear some songs by the world's best singers on the Victor talking machine. Admission, 10 cents. Children under twelve, free. We invite all of our friends to attend and spend a pleasant evening with us.

The Penns Manor chapel wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the friends who so willingly took part in the entertainment given last Saturday evening. Their work is greatly appreciated. Also grateful to Edward P. Anderson and Miss W. Anna Bruner for their untiring efforts in making the same a great success. Over fifty dollars was cleared of all expenses.

Man's fortune depends far less on will, effort, and circumstances combined than on the temperament alone.

It has been found in large factories that cats are very useful in making employees contented and in relieving fatigue from continued high-pressure among girls and women. A cat will, more often than not, jump into their laps and the workers become interested in bringing at times tidbits for the pets. The results show a large increase in the total work of the establishments.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

LOWER BENSALEM

James Madison, for many years employed at Mother Katherine's, died Monday night of heart disease.

On Monday night a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Vandegrift, of Buck road, Eddington.

John Keen is improving in health.

William Adams is confined to his home by a severe cold.

Mrs. Bunting, of Philadelphia, visited her sister, Mrs. Wilmer Ott, Monday.

Mrs. Parsons, of Hulmeville, visited her granddaughter, Mrs. McNichol, on Thursday of last week

Ed Wanger, of Mt. Airy, visited Mrs. Mary Ann Vandegrift and Mrs. Richard Murray, on Monday.

Mr. Krause, of Philadelphia, visited the Pools on Sunday.

Frank Straub and nephew, of Harrowgate, Mr. and Mrs. William Albunger and daughter, Edith, and Miss Crosdale visited Mr. and Mrs. Adams on Sunday.

Mrs. Somers, who is now residing with Johnny Vandegrift, of Bridgewater, has been visiting Mrs. George Murray and Mrs. Richard Murray for a few days, prior to making her home in Philadelphia with her sister, Mrs. Sands.

Miss May Barnes, of Philadelphia, was a week-end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. John Grove.

Pearl Lechler, of Langhorne, visited Mary Buckley on Sunday.

Mrs Clem Porter, of Uniontown, Pa., and Mrs. William McDonald, of Andalusia, visited Mrs. Porter's sister, Mrs. Frank Vandegrift, on Sunday. On Thursday Mrs. Charles Dietrick visited Mr. and Mrs William Adams. On Wednesday of this week Mr. and Mrs Dietrick start on their seventeen week Chautauquan entertainment tour.

Mrs. Jonathan Ridge and her daughter, Mrs. Kate Lott, of Philadelphia, attended the memorial services by the Sons of Veterans, at Cornwells cemetery last Sunday. Clarence Ridge participated in the exercises. There are about twenty-four soldiers buried in this cemetery and this was the first memorial service held there.

William Lewis visited relatives in Trenton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Lewis Willard, of Torresdale, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ott, Saturday night

John Morrison, of Philadelphia, formerly of Eddington, was injured on Sunday by a motor cycle on Hulmeville road

Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Franck visited Miss Mary S. Raynor, of Logan, on Saturday, and took a business trip to Philadelphia

Rev. Mr. Baillie found a pocketbook in a trolley on Friday, which proved to belong to Howard Williams, the conductor.

COUNTRY CLUB TO HAVE LIVELY MONTH

The summer will be ushered in at the Bucks County Country Club at Langhorne by an unusually attractive programme of events, including golf and tennis tournaments, as well as social entertainments. The special features scheduled for Memorial Day are:

Music, orchestra 2 to 6

Reception and tea, 4 p. m. Dancing 8 p. m.

For June the following schedule has been arranged:

Friday, June 6th, bridge and five hundred, 2.30 p. m. Refreshments and prize.

June 7th, dancing 8 p. m.

June 14th, "A Night of Novelties." "The Temple University Girl," "Athletic Brigade" Miss Roberta Taylor, Miss Anita Preston, Miss Ruth Krause, Miss Estella Unangst, Miss Marion Roberts, Miss Linda Styer, Miss Marguerite Littel; accompanist, Mrs. Buckman. Unique exhibition, including a fencing tournament. "Langhorne as seen by the Manikins" by George McKinnon, ventriloquist Tickets fifty cents.

June 18th, bridge, 3 p. m. Refreshments and prize.

June 21st, dancing 8 p. m

June 28th, dancing 8 p. m. Four pieces and drum.

The officers and committee are: President, Charles J. Matthews; vice president, Dr. Henry Lovett; secretary, Charles Langhorne Taylor, Esq; treasurer, Henry Briggs; House committee, Dr. Wilmer Krusen, John M. Patterson, S. M. Tomlinson, and Dr. Henry Lovett.

Membership committee, J. Hibbs Buckman, Henry Palmer, M. Harvey Ivins.

Finance committee, Horace G. Mitchell, Joseph R. Grundy, Victor J. Humbrecht.

Golf committee, Elwood W. Watson, George R. Ambler, Frank B. Stockley, Harry Stewart.

Tennis committee, Richard M. Marshall, George Adkins, Norman T. Esherick.

Building committee, George T. Van Norman, J. Hibbs Buckman, Dr. Wilmer Krusen, J. J. Tierney.

Entertainment commitee, Richard A. Foley.

Sub commitees on entertainment for June reception; Mrs C. J. Matthews, Mrs. William LeCompte, Mrs. J. H. Lynn, Mrs. Elwood Watson, Mrs. Henry Lovett, Mrs. Richard A. Foley, Mrs. Leicester K. Davis and Mrs. V. J. Humbrecht.

Dances, Miss Elizabeth Taylor, Miss Margaret T. Ivins, Howard Reifsynder, Jr, and Harry Ridge.

Cards, Mrs. M. Harvey Ivins, Mrs. William B. T. Pryor. Music, Miss Alice Matthews.

Special events, Alfred Marshall, John M. Patterson, F. M. Paist, Malachi White and Edward Wilkinson.

An Appalachian Door.

Any one of tact and common sense can go as he pleases through the darkest corner of Appalachia without being molested, says a writer in Outing. Tact, however, implies the will and the insight to put yourself truly in the other man's place. Imagine yourself born, bred, circumstanced like him. It implies also the courtesy of doing as you would be done by if you were in that fellow's shoes—no arrogance, no condescension, but man to man on a footing of equal manliness.

And there are "manners" in the rudest community—customs and rules of conduct that it is well to learn before one goes far afield. For example, when you stop at a mountain cabin if no dogs sound an alarm do not walk up to the door and knock. You are expected to call out "Hello!" until some one comes out to inspect you.

None but the most intimate neighbors neglect this usage, and there is mighty good reason back of it in a land where the path to one's door may be a warpath.—New York Herald.

Then She Gave Him a Look.

Mrs. Gableigh—The minister impressed upon us this morning that we must all in time join the silent majority.

Her Husband—Yes, and in view of that I think we should begin practicing silence while here on earth.—Boston Transcript.

Japan has in affect an absolute law against alien ownership of land, as have nine American Western States and the District of Columbia.

HOT BISCUIT,
hot cakes, made with ROYAL Baking Powder are delicious, healthful and easily made.

NEWTOWN NOTES

Miss Pauline Irwin, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Hannah P. Hicks.

The Misses Annie and Sarah Griscome have gone to Ocean City for a two weeks' stay.

Charles E. Foulke, of New Hope, is staying in Newtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eyre entertained the Monday evening pinochle club this week.

Misses Virena Smith and Helen Hibbs will attend the State L. T. L. convention at Millville, as representatives from Newtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Watson entertained with a delightful card party on Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Watson's cousins, Miss Merrill and Mr. Merrill, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. J. Herman Barnsley has gone to Titusville, Pa., for a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, of Horsham, Montgomery county, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs Willis G. Worstall.

Miss Margaret Mather on Saturday afternoon entertained the one hundred girls and the score of lady teachers, who have been connected with sewing school, the past year. The children rendered a programme of songs and recitations and twelve girls did the May pole dance.

Every one about town is working to bring out a big crowd for Chautauqua which begins Wednesday, June 11th. Programmes have been distributed, giving promise of seven days of splendid entertainments. The guarantors are now selling session tickets.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church have decided to serve suppers each evening of Chautauqua week, giving the many visitors expected in town a good opportunity to get a dainty meal.

The All-Newtown base ball team is again in the field. On Decoration Day they will play the Columbia Team, of Trenton

Last Sunday evening the Brotherhood of the M. E. church conducted special memorial Day services. The pastor took for the subject of his sermon "Sheridan's Ride."

The W. C. T. U. conducted a social at the home of Mrs. William Eyre, Wednesday afternoon. At this time each member produced fifty cents she had earned; and a jolly time was spent in listening to how each had earned the sum.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Newtown Library will be given Friday evening in the hall under the management of a Pittsburgh elocutionist, who is drilling one hundred and fifty boys and girls of our town to act their part in the "Toy Shop." All the dolls come to life and hold high carnival for two hours.

The L. T. L. has concluded its regular meetings for the summer months. The flower mission work will be in charge of Miss Helen Hibbs, and next week the first hamper of flowers will be sent to the city.

T. H. Wynkoop Post, G. A. R., attended services in a body at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning. Memorial Day promises to be appropriately observed here. The Sons of Veterans have made arrangements for a parade to be composed of all the men's organizations and school children of the town. The services at the cemetery will be in charge of the G. A. R. veterans, and will be conducted over the grave of William Copland. The speaker will be Rev. Charles Pierce, D. D., a retired chaplain of the United States army. A brass band from Trenton will furnish the music.

The Amber Industry.

The business of obtaining amber from the ocean has been for long a state monopoly in Prussia. The chief center of the industry is in the province of eastern Prussia The gathering of the amber goes on throughout the year, but it is most profitable at the time of the equinoctial storms, when the winds and the waves throw it ashore After a storm the fishermen drag the beach. They deposit the haul upon the strand, where the women and children pick out the pieces of amber from among the seaweeds. The pieces are assorted according to size, color and form. The value of a piece of amber is enhanced when it bears the impressions of plant or animal substances. The prices of the pieces vary from about 13 cents to 75 cents, but may reach to $100 or more. The price per pound runs from about $1.25 to $7.50. A very large piece sometimes attains the weight of sixteen or seventeen ounces. The color is most commonly the familiar yellow, but it may be reddish brown or emerald green or creamy color and some pieces are quite white. The total yield is valued at $1,500,000 a year.—Harper's Weekly.

Long Arm of Coincidence.

An amusing story from the suburbs concerns a householder who recently bought two theater tickets for his wife and himself, but inadvertently invited another married couple to spend the same evening at his house. When the mistake was discovered it was decided to hand the tickets to another friend rather than ask the expected guests to come on a subsequent evening. But the man to whom the tickets were given was called out of town, and he in turn hurriedly handed them over to a near neighbor, suggesting the latter should take his wife to the play. Now, this is where the long arm of coincidence comes in. The near neighbor and his wife were the invited guests of the purchaser of the tickets. They thought it would be a pity to lose the chance of such a fine dramatic treat. and, not knowing the real origin of the tickets, they wrote a note explaining the situation and used the two seats which their hosts had meant for themselves.—Glasgow News.

It is lawful to pray God that we be not led into temptation, but not lawful to skulk from those that come to us.—R. L. Stevenson.

Record of the United States Steamboat Inspection Service show that last year one life was lost in every 1,165,501 passengers carried.

LANGHORNE LOCALS

Robert Rosborough will sail on Saturday for a trip to England, Scotland and Ireland.

Mrs. Numan and daughter, of Wilmington, Del., have been visiting Mrs. Harry Knolls.

Mrs. Andrew M. Bye, of Germantown, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Bye, of Princeton, were recent guests of Mrs. Joseph Esherick. The two latter will sail for Europe in July, Mr. Bye to pursue his studies abroad for year.

Mrs. Edward Palmer has been enjoying a ten days visit to her brother at Cleveland, Ohio.

Wallace DeHaven and family, of Philadelphia, are occupying the Joseph Taylor house on West Maple avenue.

Mrs. Harry Stewart entertained by a luncheon on Wednesday.

Miss Nan Whitson, of Lancaster, has been visiting her relatives at Miss Angie Whitson's

Mrs. Amos Flowers and daughter, Elizabeth, sailed for Straffordshire, England, May 10th, to visit realtives.

Mrs. Heironymus has been spending some time with relatives at Willow Grove.

Old Glory waving over Langhorne Field was given its vantage of height by Frank Bricker, who contributed the unusually fine flag-pole and not Samuel C. Eastburn, as was formerly stated.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Blanche Hand Wartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood P. Wartman to John Brook Paist on Wednesday, June fourth, at 11 o'clock, at the Wissahickon Presbyterian church. "At Home" after September 1st, No. 5130 Locust street, Philadelphia.

The sermon at the Presbyterian church this Sunday evening will be addressed to the pupils of the Foulke & Long Institute who will attend in a body.

At the twenty-fifth anniversary of the K. G. E., on Wednesday evening, about one hundred enjoyed a social evening. Recitations, games and a "finish" of ice cream and cake made a most pleasant evening.

William Cady, aged 95, died after a long illness, and was buried on Tuesday at 1.30 from the residence of his daughter, Mrs Latham Welch, with whom he made his home.

This year was Langhorne's turn to have the G. A. R. memorial services in the morning, the Sunday school children of both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches marched with the soldiers, bearing their flowers in token of their reverence and esteem for the departed patriots.

The Foulke & Long Institute will hold their commencement June 4th. This will be the last time we will be privileged to have the exercises here, owing to the removal of the school.

The date of the lawn fete to be given by the Literature, Civic and Art committees of Sorosis has been changed to June 17th, instead of June 19th.

Sarah H. Burgess was buried at the Friends' grounds on Saturday, having died at the Friends' Home, Newtown, on Wednesday. She was in her 81st year, and during the many years of her residence in Langhorne, a faithful attendant of our Friends' meeting

Dr. Frank P. Parkin, superintendent of the Central District, preached last Sunday evening in the M. E. church.

Miss Margaret P. Ivins will entertain on Tuesday in honor of Miss Mary Tyson, of Chester.

Several are planning to attend the annual meeting of the Bucks County Historical Society on Tuesday, May 27th, to be held at Bowman's Hall, Solebury township.

Mrs. Harry H. Gillam entertained a number of her friends by a luncheon on Wednesday.

The choir guild of the St. James church will hold a rummage sale on Thursday, the 29th, at Sara P. Gillingham's.

Mrs Joseph Esherick and Miss Elizabeth J. Esherick, of Langhorne Manor, will be "At Home" May twenty-ninth and thirtieth from three to six o'clock. No cards. "Frolic of the Peony."

Mrs. Howard J. Marshall and the Misses Marshall entertained about two hundred of their friends on Tuesday from three to six o'clock. The day was memorable both for its beauty and the delightful occasion.

Miss Meta Jones will speak on "The Art of Story Telling" in the I. O. O. F. Hall on June 11th, at three o'clock. Children are especially invited as the afternoon is under the direction of Sorosis and the Parent-teacher Circle to entertain the school children and everybody, the "grown-ups" too, are especially invited.

It has been a long time since Langhorne has seen a better game of base-ball than was played last Saturday in a fourteen inning tie game 5 to 5 with the Trenton Tigers. Fly, the Indian pitcher, struck out twenty-six Tigers, and Holston for the Tigers struck out eighteen batsmen of the home team; not a run being scored after the ninth inning, the game having to be called on account of darkness. The games for Memorial Day are 11 a. m. game with the Fallsington team, 3 a. m. with the Bristol team. On Saturday at 3 p. m., the home team will play Fallsington, all games to be played on Langhorne Field.

Work is the mission of mankind on this earth. A day is ever struggling forward, a day will arrive, in some approximate degree, when he who has no work to do, by whatever name he may be called, will not find it good to show himself in our quarter of the solar system, but may go and look out elsewhere if there be any idle planet discoverable. Let all honest workers rejoice that such law, the first of nature, has been recognized by them.

Since the Chinese Republic was established last year, Christian services are held at stated times in the famous Temple of Heaven, Peking, in charge of native Chinese speakers, under the supervision of the five different Christian missionary societies having headquarters in the Chinese Capitol.

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MEMORIAL DAY.

Today is Memorial Day. What a flood of memories it awakens in the minds of those who lived during the greatest civil war in the history of the world. However, time softeneth sorrows and healeth wounds and today witnesses the North and South, brothers of one blood, estranged by sectional issues, after a half century of differences that separated churches and peoples, now living together in more of the real spirit of union and fraternity than has been known in the lifetime of any man now living.

Next month Yankee and Rebel will commune on Gettysburg's field, an arena of battle more famous, as judged by future historians, than Waterloo's tragic seat of warlike conflict.

The people of each section have never known the people of the other as well, nor have had more real respect for each other, than they have now; and the message of Memorial Day has become not alone the reverential tribute which we pay to our heroic dead of the Civil War, but the patriotic inspiration which the whole country derives from the memory of their valor and virtues as Americans.

There is no other holiday of simply human origin so beautiful and ennobling in its associations and recollections, and the deep sentiment which it moves in the hearts of both the old and the young is a distinct source of national strength.

In the exercises and ceremonies today, among the uppermost of the thoughts of every patriot will be that, a half century after the decisive battle at Gettysburg, we have come together as one people fully appreciative of the best qualities that are common to us all and ready to clasp hands with one another over the grave of any true soldier of either the Confederacy or the Union.

The seemingly perpetual contention between the manufacturers on one side and the child labor organizations on the other relative to proposed labor laws, is apparently one with regard to the hours of work for children between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years. Why not settle the matter peaceably and effectually by the passage of an act prohibiting children under sixteen years of age to labor in factories or other business establishments? Eminent physicians of Philadelphia are on record with the opinion that between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years is the most important period in a girl's life, therefore she should not work over eight hours a day. If it is dangerous to the life and health of such children to labor ten hours in one day, it must be equally true that it is undesirable, to less extent, for the girl to work eight hours a day. Raise the age limit for workers to sixteen years and eliminate all controversy.

INGERSOLL'S BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE

The late Robert Ingersoll, at a banquet tendered to General Grant in Chicago in 1879, paid a beautiful tribute to the "Volunteer Soldiers of the Union Army." Colonel Ingersoll had no equal in this country as an orator and the following poetic eulogium is particularly appropriate today when the nation is scattering its flowers with loving hands over the last earthly resting places of those who fought to preserve the integrity of the nation:

"Now let us drink to the volunteers; to those who sleep in unknown and sunken graves; whose names are known only to the hearts they loved and left, of those who oft in happy dreams can see the footsteps of return. Let us drink to these who died where lifeless famine mocked at want. Let us drink to the maimed whose scars gave modesty a tongue. Let us drink to those who dared and gave to chance the care and keeping of their lives. Let us drink to all the living and to all the dead—to Sherman, and to Sheridan, and to Grant, the lauralled soldiers of this world, and at last to Lincoln, whose loving life, like a low of peace, spans and arches all the clouds of war."

At the time of the vote buying and vote-selling scandal in Adams county, Ohio, one of the chief vote-buyers—a so-called respectable and leading citizen—heard a rumor of the punishment that was to be meted out on the next day to all offenders, buyers and sellers alike. Prostrated by the disgrace that he was about to bring upon his family, he sent his attorney to reason with the Judge to impose some other sentence. "Make it any other sentence" pleaded the attorney late into the night, "make it even a term in the penitentiary if you must, but don't brand my oldest family with the stigma of disfranchisement."

The Judge, however, remained obdurate and imposed alike upon the buyers and sellers of votes a sentence—"worse than a term in the penitentiary"—disfranchisement for five years.

The Ohio Legislature has recently voted to restore the right of suffrage to these disgraced citizens of Adams county but the Governor had the good sense to veto the bill. So these bribe-givers and bribe-takers must remain for the time being on the same political footing with the women of their State. What have women done to deserve the stigma of disfranchisement?

Veterans of the Civil War in this section are almost without exception sending in applications for free transportation to Gettysburg and return on Fourth of July week, to participate in the reunion of the Blue and the Gray on the fiftieth anniversary of the great battle there. It will be a grand affair, and one that will never be forgotten by those present.

Father: "Has that young man made any preparations for married life—has he saved anything? Daughter: "Goodness, yes, dad; why, he's saved about enough cigarette coupons to get a mandolin."

Statistics compiled by the officials of Girard College, Philadelphia, give a concrete and forcible illustration of the great advance in the cost of living. It cost $11.84 more to clothe each boy in Girard College last year than it did in 1911. It also cost $5.86 more to feed each boy in 1912 than in the preceding year. In an institution where everything is done in a highly scientific way, and where all the buying may be said to be done wholesale, since there are nearly 1500 students, the absolute necessities—food and clothing—advanced $17.70 per capita in a twelvemonth.

Multiply this cost of caring for the bodily wants of one lad by five, and you arrive at the added outlay for an average family last year. It will be seen that the constantly reiterated tales of the higher cost of living were founded on hard, money facts.

For the total support and education of each of Girard's many heirs-in-law there was spent last year $432 against $386 in 1911.

FINAL MEETING OF LANGHORNE SOROSIS

The last meeting of Sorosis for the season was guest day and largely attended, the programme being in charge of the Social and Economic Conditions Committee, Miss Sara T. Marshall, Mrs. William H. Twins, Miss Marion H. Longshore and the speaker of the day, Charles L. Chute, of Philadelphia. Executive Secretary of Child Legislation, who gave a most interesting and instructive talk upon the subject. Prior to the arrival of the speaker George T. Van Norman and Henry Palmer, president of the Langhorne Board of Trade, were called upon for speeches and responded much to the pleasure of the club. Mr. Van Norman stated that there had been an appropriation made to establish twelve Vocational schools in Pennsylvania to teach agriculture, domestic science and manual training, and for the expenditure of one thousand dollars, the State furnishing the rest. He believed that one of the schools could be established in Langhorne.

The music of the day was by Miss Mary Craig Bates, of Narbeth. Her selections were highly appreciated and included. "The Robin Sings in the Apple tree," "In the Woods," "To You," "In May Time," and "Sweet Miss Mary."

After the programme tea was served by the Hospitality Committee and a social time ensued.

The committees for the next club year appointed by the president are:

Real Estate committee, Mrs. Sara E. Allen, Mrs. Harry Stewart, Mrs. Edgar H. Porter, Mrs. Henry Lovett, Mrs. William B. T. Pryor, Miss Susan W. Gillam, Mrs. Alfred Marshall, Mrs. Henry Palmer.

Hospitality committee, Mrs. Edward B. Morgan, Miss Ethel White, Miss Ottelia Steeble, Mrs. W. B. T. Pryor, Mrs. Osterhout, Miss Rose P. Newbold, Mrs. Henry L. Thomas, Mrs. Frederick C. Moor ell, Miss Anna Lukens and Mrs. Elwood Watson.

Music committee, Mrs. B. Frank Ridge, Mrs. Clifford C. Rigge, Mrs. Henry Lovett, Mrs. Wilmer S. Black, Mrs. Harry Stewart, Mrs. Furman Marshall, Mrs. W. B. T. Pryor, Mrs. Robert Leedom, Mrs. Warren E. Tryon and Mrs. Elwood Watson.

Reciprocity committee, Mrs. Henry Lovett, Mrs. Harry Stewart, Mrs. Alfred Marshall, Mrs. William B. Parry, Mrs. J. Howard Marshall, Mrs. William H. Twins, Mrs. Samuel C. Eastburn and Mrs. Warren E. Tryon.

Resolution committee, Mrs. William H. Twins, Mrs. George T. Van Norman and Mrs. Jesse Lukens.

Men as Angels and Devils.

There is a form of insanity, so well recognized that wills have been broken on the strength of it, that takes the form of brutality to those of one's own family when at the same time its victim is kind, benevolent and charming to all outside. This is known to alienists and lawyers as "oiko-mania." Historic cases of it are those of Dean Swift, Mrs. John Wesley and the father of Frederick the Great.

In women it generally takes the form of an unreasoning and baseless jealousy, leading them to make life a burden to their husbands, to sulk perversely at home while shining in society or spending much time in religious devotion or in works of benevolence.

In men oikiomania takes the form of active brutality to their wives and children. It is often accompanied by continuous and exhausting tenorese, under the terrible nervousness that they are torturing those they really love. But they are unable to shake off the habit. Sometimes, when the object of their persecution is dead, they themselves become conscious that same. Such was the case with Dean Swift, after the death of Stella, the victim of his brutality, when he paid the penalty in pathetic alterations of delirium and melancholy.

So well is this form of insanity recognized that the courts will throw out the will of a man who has manifested it if this will cuts off his natural heirs.

The Greatest of Ships.

The following beautiful and expressive toast was given by William J. Bryan, Secretary of State at the farewell breakfast given at the army and Navy Club of the morning of May 13 to the commissioners from Great Britain and Canada, assembled to formulate plans for the celebration in 1914 of the century of peace between Great Britain and the United States:

"Mr. Chairman: I have delivered three addresses of welcome to our visitors but will have but one word of farewell, and that is in keeping with the environment which surrounds us this morning.

"We are met in the building of the Army and Navy Club and the fact that we are the guests of those who represent these two arms of the government suggests the thought which I present in bidding you adieu.

"While we are the advocates of peace we are really engaged in the construction of a battleship which is to be the very culmination—the climax—of the seaman's art. Man has been engaged in the construction of water craft since the flapping sail first whispered its secret of strength to the voyager. He has designed vessels for pleasure, for commerce and for war. We have the galley, the Viking's ship, the frigate, the iron-clad, and the dreadnought. But no limit can be placed to the ambitions of man as a builder and I ask you to join me in proposing a toast to a ship, more potent than any which man has thus far employed in war—a ship with whose coming man's highest hopes will be realized for there is nothing beyond.

"Here's to the greatest of ships, its compass is the human heart. Its shells are bursting with good-will. Love is the smokeless powder that impels the projectile which it sends forth. The Prince of Peace is its captain. I propose as the consummation of our desire the enduring, the indestructible battleship, whose armor nothing can pierce. FRIENDSHIP."

The breakfasters arose and joined a Canadian delegate in the watchword—"We all enlist among the crew."

Legislature Caustically Criticized.

Catawissa News.

Several of our subscribers have asked us to give them the changes made by the present legislature in the fish and game laws. It is an impossibility to keep track of the dampfool manipulation of the fish and game laws by the august body of lawmakers now in conspiracy at the state capital. It would bother a trust lawyer. You will have to wait a few weeks until they get ashamed of themselves and go home. Then their work will be disinfected and summarized and we will be able to tell you whether to go fishing with a shotgun and a camera, or go hunting with a hook and line and a license tag.

MANUFACTURERS ARRANGE CAMPAIGN

J. R. Grundy Presides at Meeting and Suggests Co-operation With Child Labor Committee.

A movement for a thorough health investigation of their own was decided upon Monday night at a largely attended meeting of Philadelphia Textile Manufacturers held in the Manufacturers' Club at the call of Joseph R. Grundy, of Bristol. The meeting determined to invite the National Child Labor Committee, the Consumers' League and organized labor to cooperate in the investigation, and agreed to launch a campaign for uniform factory laws in all the big industrial States. Incidentally the speakers accused ex-Senator Flinn and Republican State Chairman Wasson with having stolen the "Child Labor Baby," and Wasson's only interest in the toilers of the State was declared to be his desire to land himself on the Pennsylvania Supreme Bench.

In his address explaining his object in calling the meeting Mr. Grundy said he was interested in launching a campaign of education and enlightenment regardless of what the Legislature may or may not do. He waxed caustic over the charges that have been made against textile mills by "ignorant or designing persons" and deplored the misrepresentation in general and the bitter attacks made upon him in particular. His own mill he pointed to with as much pride as Republican State conventions generally show in dwelling upon the beneficial results of the sacred tariff, and he defied in vigorous terms the charge that textile manufacturers are anything but friends and protectors of the working classes, especially the women and children.

"The State Manufacturers' Association, of which I have the honor to be the head, and of which you are all active members," he said, "is not opposed to a 54-hour work week for women, or even to a 45-hour work week for minors, although, of course, that would mean a 48-hour work week for everybody; we are not opposed to these things on principle. All we say is that a reduction in the legal work week from 60 to 56 hours is all Pennsylvania industry can stand in the present perilous times, because of the fact that it is all any of our competitive States have granted.

"Far from being opposed to the 50-hour week I am heartily in favor of a 40-hour week, and I would not oppose a 30-hour week, or a 10-hour week if all the other States would agree to the same thing and the government would give us tariff high enough to keep out the product of foreign factories, in which the laborers are hard at 60 to 70 hours a week.

"To be sure, the tariff would have to be very high, indeed, to make it possible for an American manufacturer to operate under a 10-hour-a-week schedule. A cotton undershirt would probably soar to the price of a Russian sable sister and a pair of socks would be a greater luxury than an imported touring car, but with the proper protection at home and abroad we could stand it if the consumer could.

"All we ask is that we be permitted to live to employ people who want to be employed and to make fair profits—not exorbitant profits, but fair profits. We maintain that no one is justified in asking us to do business at a loss and that anyone who does demand it is no friend of the wage-earner."

Mr. Grundy then proposed to inaugurate a thorough investigation, and suggested that the Child Labor Committee, Consumers' League and other organizations be invited to co-operate.

Addresses were also made by C. L. Gilliland, of Chester; Joseph S. Rambo and George S. Cox.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the association urge the Legislature to provide for the appointment of a commission to investigate the conditions relating to the employment of women and minors, to ascertain the extent of alleged occupational diseases to which they are liable, the causes of such diseases, and to report the best means for the prevention of such diseases to confer with similar commissions from other important industrial States with a view to agreeing on a programme of uniform legislation relating to hours of employment for women and minors and standards of sanitary requirements, to be recommended to the Legislatures of the respective States for enactment.

And resolved, further, that if the Legislature of Pennsylvania does not, at its present session, provide for the appointment of such a commission, we invite the consumers League, the Child Labor Association and any other similar organizations to co-operate with us in the appointment of a Commission for those purposes of such personnel as will command the confidence and respect of the public.

QUICK REPLY TO GRUNDY.

It did not take long for the Consumers' League to give a decisive reply to Mr. Grundy's proposition for co-operation in studying industrial conditions in this State.

"Any initial action for the securing of uniform legislation could not come from Pennsylvania so long as the laws of Pennsylvania continue to compare unfavorably with other industrial states, and the appointment of such a commission as suggested is, therefore, out of question for the present."

That is the reply of the Consumers' League, drafted at a special meeting of its legislative subcommittee, held Tuesday afternoon to consider the proposition advanced by the Grundy organization at a meeting in the Manufacturers' Club, Monday night.

"The significance of such a proposal is plain at the present critical stage in the passage of the bills," is the way the Child Labor Association sizes it up. "Those who have been familiar with the tactics of Mr. Grundy and his child labor lobby during the last eight years," it continues, "will forgive a smile at the form of this eleventh hour ruse to divert the issue."

Emilie Gleanings.

Herbert L. Mathers spent Wednesday with his parents.

Children's Day will be observed in the M. E. church, Sunday morning, June 8.

Miss Abigail Randall has been visiting relatives and friends at Trevose, Horsham and Willow Grove.

Miss Laura Aldred spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Philadelphia.

Sunday school in the morning at 9.45. Preaching at 10.45. Christian Endeavor in the evening at 7.45.

Mrs. James Mathers and daughter, Anna, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mathers, of Edge Hill, Pa.

Mrs Harry Magill and son, Harry, spent Sunday visiting relatives in New Hope.

Four of the young people of the village were out on motor cycles Sunday afternoon, the party included Miss Gretchen Magill, Miss Lillian Wright, Frank Hibbs and William Lovett.

Colored Masons' Banquet.

The joint annual banquet given by Trilumium Lodge, No. 89, F. and A. M., and Martha Royal Court, No. 5, of Cyrene, colored, was held Thursday evening of last week in Pythian hall Bristol. About 150 members of the two organizations were present. The following menu was served: Sugar cured ham, baked veal loaf, rolls, coffee, ice cream, cake and claret punch. Mrs. L. H. Willhite acted as toastmaster and a number of addresses were made. The Misses Graham rendered several instrumental selections.

Arizona and Africa have the hottest climates in the world. In the former it has been recorded at 127 degrees in the shade and in the latter fully 130 degrees.

HEART TO HEART TALKS

By JAMES A. EDGERTON.

ECONOMY OF LIFE.

In every field we are teaching and practicing economy except one, and that is the most important of all.

We eliminate waste in manufacturing, but we do not eliminate waste of human beings.

We teach conservation of everything but life.

Recently a Chicago park policeman saw a ragged, hatless, coatless and almost shoeless small boy watching a squirrel burying peanuts.

"What's your name?" queried the policeman.

"Bernard Rogers," sobbed the boy, "and I'm hungry. A squirrel hid a peanut over by that tree. Can I have it if I find it?"

Most policemen have hearts, and this one was no exception. He bought the boy a bag of peanuts, which were eaten ravenously. He then took him home and afterward reported that there was not a bite to eat in the house.

This lad, if he lives, will be a future citizen. Aside from the brutal inhumanity of allowing him to starve in a land of abundance think of the unwisdom of it from a public standpoint!

The pity of it is that his is only one case out of a multitude.

Of those who survive many are stunted in mind and body. Others are criminals, having learned to steal out of their dire necessity. Still others are filled with hatred against society. And who can blame them?

Is it not time to conserve the children?

This wonderful age of progress has transformed the physical world. Can it not do something for the human world?

Here is another case in point:

Recently the factory commission of the state of New York examined child labor conditions. It found tots of ten years working from twelve to sixteen hours a day in cannery sheds and others even younger wearing out their baby lives in tenement work.

From the mere cold, economic standpoint can we not eliminate this waste of our future men and women?

Fathers and mothers, these little ones are like your own, with the same tender bodies, the same baby faces, the same innocent ways.

How dare we look our own children in the eyes so long as we participate in the sins of society against these other children?

How dare we call ourselves civilized in the midst of such conditions?

How dare we?

DON'T BE A BORE.

Mrs George W. Wickersham, wife of the attorney general, recently laid down a rule for conversation.

It is was to avoid the four D's:

DISEASES.
DESCENDANTS.
DOMESTICS.
DRESS.

It is a good rule for people elsewhere than in Washington.

Talk of our ailments does not interest other people

They have ills of their own.

Tell it to the doctor.

Prattle about our children or our ancestors is usually a bore.

Tell it to the schoolteacher or the men who make ancestral trees.

Gossip about servants is a weariness.

Tell it to the employment bureau.

Pattering about clothes is inane and has other faults.

Tell it to the dressmaker.

The weather as a conversational topic is also slightly frayed, although the sunshine is a more exhilarating theme than the condition of our livers.

Don't be a bore.

There are many good people in the world whom their friends avoid because their talk is so deadly dull.

Don't be a bromide. Do you know what a bromide is? Well, he is the chap who drives the commonplace into a corner and makes it squeal for freedom.

Everything he says has been said a million times before.

He is trite and banal and his long conversational suit is to say obvious things in an uninteresting way.

Conversation to be worth anything should have some snap, sparkle and originality.

As for topics, the world is full of them.

Talk about the latest book, something good you have seen in the papers, church, high prices, the trusts, woman suffrage, new thought, the crops, the way to boom your town or neighborhood, evolution, the pranks you played in your childhood, the latest big news event in your neck of the woods—anything except the four deadly D's and the weather.

RECOMPENSE.

In the long run we get what we earn

Payment may be deferred, but in the end the account is balanced.

To believe this confers a certain deep comfort, for it gives us a sense of faith and security.

We can rest our case in the conviction that ultimate justice will be done, that the law of compensation is at work.

There shall be recompense—recompense for good, recompense for evil.

This law of retribution is recognized the world around. In the orient it is called karma. In the occident it is known as justice. In both the belief is practically universal that if the scale is not balanced in this life then it is balanced in some other.

Herbert Spencer has laid down the proposition that widespread belief in any given idea is an argument in its favor.

The belief in ultimate justice, in the law of compensation, is as wide as the world. It has persisted through all ages. It is a part of all creeds.

It is impossible to think of a physical universe in which there is not absolute balance and adjustment.

If we meditate deeply enough it will become plain to us that it is just as impossible to think of a moral universe in which there is not absolute balance and adjustment.

As above, so below; as within, so without.

Henry Drummond once wrote a book on "Natural Law in the Spiritual World."

My own belief is that there is but one law and that if we see its workings on any plane we may find the analogy to them on every other plane.

We find absolute balance in the material world. The analogy to this in the moral world is justice, compensation, retribution.

Be careful, therefore, of the causes you are setting up, for sooner or later the effects will come back to you.

There is nothing more certain than this—that some time and some place you will get yours.

THE OLD HORSE.

Old Bill is no beauty.

He is knockkneed as you can see where he stands there, obedient to your will. Fifteen years ago his legs were as trim as a young thoroughbred's. They have ranged in your service. With pride in his going qualities, you drove him pell mell over hard roads. You let him stand by a hitching rack while you dallied. Stumping in summer at the flies and in winter to keep his blood in circulation, pounded over pavements—what wonder he is knockkneed?

His old head droops.

Once he had a lordly neck, "clothed with thunder." You used the overcheck, causing a painful tension of the flexor muscles of the neck, hindering free respiration and circulation and causing quick fatigue. He can't hold up his head very long.

Bunches of gray hair on his back?

Saddle galls made by your hard riding in his willingness to go your gait. When you hurried for the doctor or rode to catch up with the other fellows, you forgot about the blanket under the saddle.

Sweenied also.

You did that. The collar of a set of harness did not fit Bill's shoulders, and the hames of the plowing set were not properly adjusted. Sometimes when the season was dry and dusty Bills shoulders were galled and sore But he never complained.

His eyes are bad.

You see, his normal vision, as of all horses, is more curtilward than up ward, but you reined his head up, causing eye strain. And then sometimes the harness had blinders and sometimes it had none. Dust and lack of sunshade helped. And when Bill got a cinder or dust in his eye he never spoke about it, and you failed to notice the fact. You see the animal simply couldn't wipe his eyes.

Blemishes?

Plenty. Note the bumps and scars on old Bill's legs. There was a time when he interfered and you did not have him properly shod. In winter he was turned into a small field fenced with barb wire. On account of his high rein he sometimes stumbled on the hard road and bruised his legs.

Some good in him yet?

Sure. You haven't quite killed him. Sometimes when his digestion is good and there is a level stretch of road he can go some. It is pathetic to note, though, how quickly he is played out.

As he stands there, so you have made him. And in spite of your abuse he loves you and whinnies on your approach.

Take good care of old Bill!

Else, sometime or somewhere, it may go hard with you.

Wanted to Trade.

Uncle Mose was a chronic thief, who usually managed to keep within the petty larceny limit. One time he miscalculated, however, and was sent to trial on a charge of grand larceny.

"Have you a lawyer, Mose?" asked the court.

"No, sah."

"Well, to be perfectly fair, I'll appoint a couple. Mr. Jones and Mr. Brown will act as counsel."

"What's dat?"

"Act as your lawyers. Consult with them and prepare to tell me whether you are guilty or not guilty."

"Yes, sah."

Mose talked to his attorneys for a few moments in husky whispers. The judge caught only the several time repeated word alibi. Then Mose arose, scratched his head and addressed the court.

"Judge, your honah," he said, "'cause Ize only an ign'ant pusson, an' Ah don' want to bothah yo' honah, but Ah would suttinly like to trade yo' honah one ob dese yeah lawyahs foh a witness."—Kansas City Journal

A Spirit of Revenge.

A Yankee suffering from toothache went to a dentist to have the aching tooth out. The dentist pulled out the offending tooth and was then asked to pull out the double tooth next to it.

"But that is a sound tooth," said the dentist. "The pain is only sympathetic."

"Yank it out, doctor. Hang such sympathy," replied the Yankee.—London Tit-Bits.

25TH ANNIVERSARY LANGHORNE CHURCH

Presbyterian Congregtion will Celebrate Next Week.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Langhorne Presbyterian church will be celebrated June 6, 7 and 8th. On Friday evening, June 6, the celebration will open with a reception in the lecture room at 8 o'clock. There will be a re-union of present and former members of the church and their friends. Brief greetings from former elders, letters from former pastors of the church will be read and it will be an "Evening of Church Reminiscences."

On Saturday, at eight p. m., in the church there will be a historical service. The history of the church and its various organizations will be given as follows: History of the church and Congregation, by the pastor, Rev. B. Frank Palst; History of the Sabbath School, by the superintendent, Clifford C. Rigge; History of the Womans' Aid, by the president, Mrs. Ezekiel L. Pryor; History of the C. E., by the president, Miss Eunice D. Welch.

On Sunday, June 8, at 10.30 a. m., the annual Children's Day service, a special programme will be rendered at which service members of the Sunday school and Home Department will have seats reserved for them at 7 p. m., in the lecture room. The C. E. anniversary service, at which session the Rev. William Ralph Hall, superintendent of Department of Young Peoples' Work in the Presbyterian church, will speak upon the topic, "The Young People, their Possibilities." Closing service at 8 p. m., the sermon to be preached by the Rev. Leighton W. Eckland D. D., Agency Secretary of the American Bible Society.

The public is cordially invited to all of these meetings.

Celebrated Fiftieth Anniversary.

On Saturday evening Thomas H. Snelson superintendent of the Metropolitan Insurance Company celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his birth by entertaining a number of friends and relatives at his home at Market street, Bristol. Vocal and instrumental music was engaged during the evening and an elaborate dinner was served. Mr. Snelson was the recipient of a number of beautiful gifts among which were a beautiful meerschaum pipe, which was presented to the host by Benjamin Silber on behalf of the Metropolitan staff of agents. He also received a elaborate smoking set, and a handsome cut glass ink well on a silver tray as a gift from his brother-in-law in England. On the silver tray was engraved "T. S., May 20, 1913. Not out." This inscription has reference to when Mr. Snelson played cricket in his native country.

County Firemen to Meet Here.

The Bucks County Firemen's Association will hold their annual meeting in Bristol Saturday, June 14. The members of the Association will be entertained by the members of the various fire companies of the borough, all of which have become members of the Association

While definite plans have not as yet been completed, it is proposed to hold the meetings of the Association in the No. 2 Fire House, and a luncheon will be served in Pythian Hall.

A committee composed of the delegates of the local companies will have charge of the arrangements, and as soon as possible a definite programme will be announced.

The Bucks County Association has only recently been formed, and the Association as a whole, have expressed a desire to meet in Bristol, in order to give the delegates from the different parts of the country an opportunity to inspect the Bristol Fire department, which is considered the best in the country.

"Blue-sky" laws, to prevent swindling and fake promotions of securities, are now being considered by the Legislatures of thirty-six States of the U. S. A.

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CHANGE OF FARE ZONES

On and after June 1st, 1913, or as soon as the lines of the Company are connected at Bristol, the following will mark the fare limits on the line of this Company:

EASTWARD

1. Torresdale to Croydon.
2. Bridgewater to East Line of Bristol Borough.
3. Cemetery to Edgely Avenue.
4. Edgely Avenue to Penn Valley.
5. Wheat Sheaf to Bridge Street, Morrisville.

WESTWARD

5. Morrisville to Wheat Sheaf.
4. Penn Valley to Edgely Avenue.
3. Edgely Avenue to Cemetery.
2. East Borough Line, Bristol, to Bridgewater.
1. Croydon to Torresdale.

On account of the situation of the Borough of Tullytown, regular riders between that town and either Bristol or Morrisville will be given the privilege of purchasing fifty (50) trip books as $3.75, thus reducing the fare between Tullytown and either Bristol or Morrisville from 10 cents to 7 1-2 cents. These books may be purchased at the office of the Company, 204 Radcliffe street, Bristol, Pa., where further information regarding the above change may be obtained.

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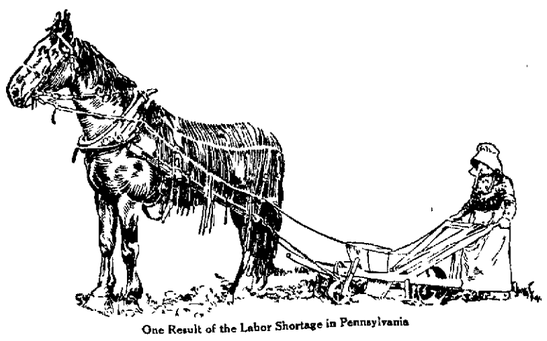

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Present Condition of Garden Crops
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Poultry-Meat Farming vs. Egg Raising
By MICHAEL K. BOYER

Making Alfalfa Pay in the East
By D. C. KAUFFMANN, of York

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5 Extra Crown Stamps with	5 Large Heinz's Sour Pickles,	5c	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Alaska Salmon,	10c, 13c, 17c	
25 Extra Crown Stamps with each large jar	Spanish Olives,	25c	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Glass Wilmar Peanut Butter,	10c	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Glass Pure Jelly,	10c	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each can	"Tioga" Sliced Peaches,	12c	
25 Extra Crown Stamps with each large bottle	Grape Juice,	25c	
15 Extra Crown Stamps with each 1-lb. pkg.	Bellgrade Tea,	15c	
20 Extra Crown Stamps with each pound	Banquet Coffee,	30c	
5 Extra Crown Stamps with	2 Lbs. New Onions,	3c lb	
5 Extra Crown Stamps with 3 cakes	Ivory Soap,	4 1-2c, 7 1-2c cake	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each pound	Salt Water Taffy, 12c;	Mints, 15c	
20 Extra Crown Stamps with each large	Norway Mackerel,	10c, 13c, 15c	

Fine Fresh Eggs, 25c d

5 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Cake Flower Buds Toilet Soap,	
5 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Large Can Karo Syrup,	
5 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Pkg. Mother's Oats,	
15 Extra Crown Stamps with each pkg	Choice Macaroni,	
15 Extra Crown stamps with 3 cans	S. & W. Crushed Corn,	3 for 2
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each 1lb can	Tetlow's Talcum Powder,	
5 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Pkg. Bellgrade Rice,	
5 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Pkg. Bellgrade Farina,	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each bottle	Pure Vanilla Extract.	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each pkg	Cornstarch,	7c,
15 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Lb. Large Cal. Prunes,	12c,
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Colburn's D. F. S. Mustard,	
10 Extra Crown Stamps with each	Bottle Pure Vinegar,	
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...CAL INTELLIGENCE.

...ery stores will close at noon

...l fishing season has practi-...d.

...Booz, a Bristol township ...ill with the measles.

...uis Dries, of Mill street, is ...latives in New York.

...o Nelson, after an absence ...rs, visited Bristol friends

...aurice Watson is a patient ...edico-Chirurgical hospital, ...hia.

...Plumb, the Civil war vet-... been confined to his home ...s this week.

...ddie Shipe, of Doylestown, ...day with Mrs. John Sleifer, ...gton street.

...d Mrs. Charles Grim leave ...make an automobile trip to ..., Berks county.

...gagement has been announced ...argaret Gorman and Rich-...th of Bristol.

...Gleason, of Washington ...nt Saturday and Sunday ...tives in Wilmington.

...Madison, an aged negro, 80 ..., died at his home in Bensal-...ship, on Monday afternoon.

...Metzler, of Harrisonville, ...ounty, Pa., spent several ...week with Samuel Fenton.

...Cooper, of Bath street, left ...day for an outing in South .... Fishing will be his princi-...ation.

...lla Brothers, the Mill street ...have had a new concrete pave-...de in front of their business ...ment.

...s Bauer and family, of Phil-..., spent Saturday and Sunday ...Andrew Bauer and family, ...d Logan streets.

...Margaret Lawless, in her ...irst year, a native of Ireland, ...her home in Cornwells, of ...disease, on Monday night.

...McBrien and John Wilson, ...ington street, who have been ...in a woolen mill at Blooms-...a., have returned to Bristol.

...J. Haggerty, 24 years old, a ...worker, died at his home, 660 ...street, of pulmonary tubercu-...st Friday afternoon at four

...ing to reports made to the ...nty Horticultural Society ...and cherry crops in the ...been ruined, as a result ...ht.

...roy, the retired Pennsyl-...and pensioner, who moved ...ago from Bristol to Tren-...returned here and is now re-...at 411 Jefferson avenue.

...Henry E. Ancker, with a ...f Philadelphia friends, is en-...an outing fishing at Fortesque, ...laware bay. Mrs. Ancker is ...relatives at Asbury Park.

...special meeting of the Anchor ...Club held last Friday evening ...ittees were appointed to make ...ements for the annual beach ...of the club to be held July 19, ...on and evening.

...annual minstrel show of the ...of Columbus will be given ...11. The playwright, Benja-...Klan, has arranged a unique ...part which will be a travesty ...Bristol fire department.

...Rev. J. A. Carr, of St. ...church, Bristol, will preach to ...ociated branches of the Girls' ...Society of the Diocese of ...ersey, at a special service to be ...Sunday at 4 p. m. in Trin-...ch, Trenton.

...Bertha Neal Ward, wife of ...Ward, died on Tuesday at her ...306 Buckley street. The de-...leaves a husband and a three-...old son. The deceased did not ...after a premature birth which ...last Saturday.

...lliam, the 14-months' old son of ...nd Mrs. Frank Buley, of Cedar ...died early yesterday morning ...a few hours' illness. The child ...pparently in good health up to ...ime it was suddenly taken ill ...ied in convulsions. The funeral ...place yesterday afternoon. Inter ...in St. Marks cemetery.

...arles Spring, of Bristol, has ...ed his connection with the Mc-...rn Construction Company, of ...ton, to accept an offer from the ...an Engineering Company, of ...phis, Tenn., which has a large ...auction contract at Dayton ..., to prevent such floods which ...d the recent great devastation in ...city. Mr. Spring goes to Day-...n the employ of the firm.

..., and Mrs. E. C. Van Nest, of ...York, were at "Kingwood" ...ty visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry .... Mr. Van Nest is a clerk with ...King in the superintendent's ...e of the Pennsylvania railroad at ...y City. Dr. LeCompte, the com-...'s surgeon, took the "quartette" ...a fine auto ride. They thought ...surrounding scenery was most ...tiful, and that Bristol was de-...tfully situated.

...hn Mulholland, of Jefferson ave-...while catching for a Bristol base-...team on the St. Francis School ...unds, Eddington, last Saturday ...with a painful accident. A foul ...struck his face mask in a manner ...resulted in an injury to his jaw ...sing it to be greatly swollen. Doyle, ...St. Francis pitcher, in the same ...ne while running to cover first ...was spiked in the foot by a Bris-...runner, nearly severing Doyle's

...n the notices in the Philadelphia ...wspapers last week of the assign-...nts of pastors in the A. M. E. ...ference there was apparently a uni-...m error as regards the Bristol ...urch. All the papers reported that ...v. W. R. Williams was appointed ...the Bristol church. The fact is ...at Rev. Williams was appointed to ...s Norristown church and that Rev. ...A. Browne, of Harrington, Del., ...s sent to Bristol. The latter preached ...Bristol last Sunday and created an ...ceedingly favorable impression.

...Daniel Senior, who 25 years ago ...s superintendent of the woolen ...ill of Joshua Peirce & Co., was the ...est of B. C. Foster on Wednesday ...nd yesterday. Mr. Senior is now ...nnected in a traveling capacity ...ith a large woolen mill in Water-...wn, Mass. Mr. Senior told a Gazette ...presentative that his firm is not ...orrying over the revision of the ...riff. He said that with free wool ...d a 35 per cent. tariff on manufac-...red cloth, as proposed in the Under-...ood bill, there would be no menace ...om foreign competition.

...On Sunday afternoon 100 candi-...ates were conferred the third degree ...the Knights of Columbus at St. ...arks hall, Bristol. The candidates ...ere from towns in the 15th district, ...epresenting Bristol, Tacony, Frank-...rd, Holmesburg and Germantown. ...District Deputy Frank Kilcoyne, ...rother of John J. Kilcoyne, of Bris-...ol, was in charge of the ceremonies. ...ver 800 members of the order were ...resent, including visitors from Tren-...on, Mt. Holly, Bordentown, Prince-...on, New Brunswick and Philadel-...hia, aside from those present from ...owns representing the district.

...The annual social meeting of the ...Bristol W. C. T. U. will be held on ...sday, June 3rd, at the home of ...Lehman, 320 Radcliffe street, ...m. An unusually interesting ...me has been arranged. Mrs. ...Wilson, National Superin-...Work among Foreigners, ...There will be fine vo-...trumental music, and ...ood things, including .... A silver offering ...is asked from ...Men are invited ...is occasion, ...is desired ...occasion...

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RIVER CHANNEL NOW COMPLETED

Event Celebrated by Inspection Trip Up the River.

Whether it was through indifference, or because of the state of the weather or by reason of lack of local publicity given to the arrangements, only about fifty persons gathered at the Mill street wharf, Bristol, on Wednesday afternoon to greet the distinguished party of Congressman, City and U. S. Government officials and a delegation of about 400 which came up the river in a chartered steamboat to make an inspection of the completioned twelve-foot channel from Philadelphia to Trenton.

The excursion was made under the directions of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association.

When the Steamer Thomas Clyde was made fast to the dock Congressman J. Hampton Moore addressed the little crowd that stood on the upper wharf. He spoke from the upper deck of the boat. As the boats' boiler started to blow off steam shortly after Mr. Moore began to speak but little of his address was audible.

He said he was sorry that there were not more persons present to greet the excursionists and advised Bristol to wake and get rid of its ramshackle buildings which he pointed to about him, and improve the dock facilities.

He said the inspection trip was being made to celebrate the completion of the Delaware river channel, which was part of the project of a navigable inland waterway extending from New England to Florida.

MAYOR DONNELLY SPOKE.

Mayor Donnelly, of Trenton, was introduced by Congressman Moore and made a very forcible address telling of the great advantages that will accrue from the deeper channel and the increased traffic on the river. A few remarks were also made by Lieutenant Colonel Joseph E. Kuhn, United States engineer in charge of the Delaware river improvements.

There were large crowds present on the wharves at Burlington and Beverly, where the boat had been scheduled to stop but owing to a change of plans Bristol was the only place where a stop was made between Philadelphia and Trenton.

SUDDEN DEATH OF JAMES WRIGHT

James Wright, one of the best known and life-long residents of Bristol, died suddenly yesterday while on a visit to Trenton.

Mr. Wright left Bristol at noon on Wednesday to visit Mrs. Wright, who at present is visiting in Trenton. Yesterday morning his sons here, Charles and Harry Wright, received a telephone message that their father had died suddenly of heart disease. Mr. Wright had been in poor health for some time and recently met with financial reverses which caused the breaking up of his home. He had been living with his son, Harry Wright, for the last year.

Mr. Wright was the oldest member of the borough council and served continuously in that body for twenty-five years, and long had been chairman of the Finance committee. For a number of years he was treasurer of St. James church. At the time of this writing no definite arrangements had been made for the funeral, but it will in all probability take place tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Wright was 68 years old. He was born in Bristol and was a son of the late John and Rebecca Bloomsburg Wright, natives of Bucks county, and was a brother of the late J. Wesley and William P. Wright. His father had five sons all of whom are now deceased.

For many years James Wright was a prosperous Bristol merchant. He was a gentleman in every sense of the word; was quiet and unobtrusive in manner, a kind friend and good citizen. Besides a widow he leaves two sons, Charles and Harry Wright.

FORMER SLAVE DIES AT CORNWELLS

James Madison, aged about eighty years, died on Monday last at his late home, on Convent avenue, Cornwells. Deceased was reared a slave in the southern states, and after the Civil war came north, where he found employment with the family of the late Anthony J. Drexel, of this vicinity. After the death of Mr. Drexel this faithful servant was employed by Mother Katherine Drexel at St. Elizabeth's Convent in Cornwells, until about a year ago when illness caused him to be pensioned by Mother Katherine in whose family he had been employed for nearly fifty years. A widow, two daughters and one son survive. High mass over the remains was celebrated in St. Charles Catholic church at 9 o'clock on Thursday morning, and interment took place in St. Dominics cemetery, Holmesburg. The pall bearers were Messrs. William Cannon, James Carraher, George Munderer, Robert Johnson, Arthur Williams and William Dougherty.

Concerning Trolley Fare Changes.

The announcement, recently made, of the intention of the T. B. & P. Street Railway Company to increase the rate of fare between Bristol and Morrisville has has aroused much comment along the line, especially in Tullytown, which is most affected by the change. Many are disposed to resent the raise without fully appreciating the reasons and necessity of it. It is therefore of public interest to learn the company's reason for the change.

From the standpoint of the company, as stated by one of its higher officials, there are many reasons justifying the additional fare-zone, which the public should take into account when discussing the matter.

First, the fare was originally fixed at the rate of one cent per mile. This rate is lower than the cost of transporting passengers over the line.

Second, the rate of one cent a mile is from thirty to sixty per cent. lower than is charged by any other trolley company in this part of the country, giving similar service.

Third, the company has been and is spending very large sums of money in improving its roadbeds, power-plant and equipment and is therefore reasonably entitled to charge a rate of fare that will at least produce a moderate return of interest on the money expended.

Even at the increased fare, contends the company, the rate will be only 1.50 cents per mile as compared with 1.76 cents charged on the Doylestown, Bristol line and many similarly higher rates on the suburban and country lines.

The regular patrons who will feel the increase most, are, of course, the people of Tullytown. Tullytown falls within the new fare zone, which extends from Edgely to Penn Valley. Where formerly passengers from Tullytown to either Bristol or Morrisville, paid five cents, they will now have to pay ten cents unless they are the possessors of one of the new commutation tickets. In that case the fare will be seven and one-half cents or fifteen cents for the round trip.

Death of Annie E. McIlvaine.

Miss Annie E. McIlvaine, 37 years old, daughter of John McIlvaine, died at her father's home, 337 Washington street, at 4.30 o'clock Monday morning, of pulmonary tuberculosis. The deceased had been an invalid for several years. The funeral was held yesterday morning with high mass at St. Marks church. Interment was made in the church yard.

As a white hearse was being driven to attend the funeral a wheel came off on Cedar street and another hearse had to be substituted.

Miss McIlvaine is survived by a father and several brothers and sisters.

Outing at the Narrows Tomorrow.

The Bucks County Natural Science Association will join the Pennsylvania Botanical Club tomorrow, in an outing to one of the most picturesque points on the Delaware river. Members and friends will leave Doylestown on the Easton trolley at 9 a. m. for Kintnersville. From this point there is a walk of about one mile to the Narrows and High Rock, and two miles to the famous Ringing Rocks of Nockamixon. A four-horse coach will meet the party at Kintnersville and convey those who do not care to walk.

The guides for the day will be Edward A. Briggs and Hugh B. Eastburn, Jr.

G. A. R. VETERANS' PROGRAMME TODAY

Memorial Day will be celebrated in the usual manner in Bristol today. It being a legal holiday the banks will be closed and the postoffice will be likewise closed after ten o'clock this morning.

Members of H. Clay Beatty Post, G. A. R., and of Colonel Goslin Camp, S. of V., left at seven o'clock this morning by trolley for Tullytown and visited the cemetery at that place.

At 9.45 a. m. the Post and Camp members will assemble at headquarters and march to St. Marks and Bristol cemeteries

At 12 o'clock noon the veterans and sons will stand in line at headquarters for five minutes in honor of dead comrades, and, after a selection by the band will be entertained at lunch by the Bristol Elks' Lodge.

At 2 p. m. the comrades will again assemble at headquarters and form in line and proceed to the several burying grounds within the borough and strew with flowers the graves of the soldier dead.

PENNS MANOR GRANGE MEETING

The Penns Manor Grange held its regular monthly business meeting on Wednesday evening, 21st inst., when it was decided to hold two meetings a month in the future until further notice.

After the business meeting, an interesting programme was rendered as follows:

Piano solo, Miss Freda W. Greenlee.

Paper, "The Danger from the Fly," Mrs. John Neely.

"Planting trees for a future Grange Grove," Edmund H. Lovett.

Duet, flute and voice, W. A. Collins and Mrs. Helen Bunting.

General Discussion, "In what way does the farmer lose the most money?"

Paper, "Rural Credits," J. F. Seidensticker.

Essay, "Six prominent and useful Americans and why," by A. B. Shoemaker.

Duet, flute and voice, W. A. Collins and Mrs. Helen Bunting.

Mystic Chain Convention.

The 35th annual convention of the Supreme Castle, Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain, convened in Mystic Chain Hall, Sonaconing, Md., Tuesday, May 20, 1913, at 10.30 a. m.

Prior to the opening of the session a public reception was given to the members of the Supreme Castle and the ladies of the degree of Naomi. Also many citizens of the city of Sonaconing.

Past Supreme Commander J. D. Erdman, of Allentown, Pa., presided and introduced Mayor Thomas A. Smith, who welcomed the officers and representatives to Sonaconing. The next session will be held the third Tuesday in May 1915 at Atlantic City, N. J.

The following officers were elected to the Supreme Castle:

Chaplain, C. D. Straus, Allentown, Pa.

Supreme Commander, Theodore Cook, Philadelphia, Pa.

Supreme Vice Commander, William H. Walker, Binghampton, N. J.

Supreme Marshall, H. G. Gibbons, York, Pa.

Supreme Scribe, J. J. Davis, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Supreme Treasurer, J. A. Rhoades, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Supreme Outside Guard, H. C. Mosher, Binghampton, N. J.

Supreme Inside Guard, John Smith, Sonaconing, Md.

Trustees, W. H. Biddle, New Jersey; George E. Doved, Pennsylvania; William T. Brown, Maryland.

Officers Funeral Benefit Fund, President, L. C. Ghotthold, Philadelphia; vice president, H. C. Peters, Virginia; secretary, J. J. Davis, Pennsylvania; treasurer, J. A. Rhoades, Pennsylvania

Directors, George E. Dovey, Pennsylvania; William Thorpe, Philadelphia; William Steel, Pittsburgh; J. C. Adams, Bristol; J. J. Kirschner, Terre Hill.

J. S. Brady Commandery Organized.

At a meeting held on Tuesday evening forty-four members of Washington Camp, No. 789, Patriotic Order Sons of America, were organized into a military commandery known as J. S Brady Commandery, No. 57, in honor of the only deceased member of the Camp.

A number of officers and visiting members were present from Philadelphia and Trenton, accompanied by a degree staff installed the following officers of the local commandery:

Commander, John H. Hardy; senior vice commander, H. A. Rich; recorder, L. S. Weik; Receiver, F. S. Weik; ; treasurer, W. A. Bradley; orderly, Albert Sommerfeld; guard, E. F. Ogden; picket, W. Risden; financiers, W. A. Morwell, E. F. Ogden and Charles R. Thompson.

Officers Uniform Rank: Captain, J. H. Hardy; 1st. lieutenant, Leonard Bell; 2nd. lieutenant, R. L. Downs; district commander, Russell B. Carty.

Board of Trade Possibilities.

Editor Gazette: It was quite gratifying to note that at least one of the inhabitants of Bristol thought sufficient of the welfare of the town and its citizens to write you a letter last week regarding the question of establishing a Board of Trade.

The failure to locate the shirt factory further advances the argument of the actual need of a Board, for if there had been some concentrated effort put forth on the part of the merchants or enterprising citizens there would be no question but what the plant would have located here.

This is not the only opportunity that a Board of Trade would have had to show that it would be of great benefit, and I do hope that there will be more of the go-a-head spirit shown in the matter.

Yours truly,
A READER.

Playgrounds for Bristol.

The first season of the playgrounds in Bristol, having been so successful, it was decided Wednesday evening at a meeting held at the Misses Cabeen's residence, to go to work at once, and raise by subscription or otherwise funds enough to warrant the establishing of a second playground in the Bath street school yard if possible. Those present at the meeting pledged themselves as workers for the cause and there is no doubt that when the citizens realize what good can be done, and has been done, that they will come forward and make the project a realty.

New Shoe Store on Mill Street.

Charles A. Wilson, real estate agent, reports the following:

Sold for Mrs. Laura C. Peirce, to Costanti and Maria Gesmanti, No. 10 Lincoln avenue, for $1,100.

Leased for Harry B. McMullen to H. Vanere, 238 Mill street, to be used for a shoe store.

Leased for John J. McGee to Harry Molden, Jr., No. 317 1-2 Washington street.

At a Turkish bath in Bagdad the water is drawn by a bullock on the roof.

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REVIEW OF EVENTS AT COUNTY SEAT

Interesting Correspondence from Our Doylestown Representative.

Doylestown, May 28.

Reverend Father John E. Cavanaugh, rector of the Roman Catholic church, Our Lady of Mount Carmel, at the county seat, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination last week. During the day he was kept busy receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends both of his own faith and other beliefs and a large number of congratulatory letters were received by him. In the evening Father Kienan delivered the anniversary sermon and Patrick B. Trainor in a neat little speech conveyed to Father Cavanaugh the good wishes of his congregation and a purse of more than five hundred dollars made up by his flock with whom he is exceedingly beloved and popular. Father Cavanaugh is a graduate of St. Charles Seminary.

Since the establishment of a marriage license bureau in this State many curious licenses have been granted. Last week in one case the bride had just had a nuptial net untied by divorce eight days before she again set sail on the matrimonial sea and in another case where the bride and groom were of the colored persuasion the groom was seventy-eight and was making his third venture with a damsel of forty-eight who was making her second trial of wedded happiness.

Truck farmers in and around the county seat are predicting a shortage of early vegetables and especially of tomatoes, which they claim have been ruined by the frosts of a short time ago and the very cool weather we have been having, cherries are almost a total loss and there will not be over a half crop of the luscious strawberry.

Running automobiles seems to be becoming more easy and fashionable every day. At the county seat it is becoming quite a fad among the ladies and already we number at least nine ladies who are skilful chauffeurs or chauffeuses, whichever is correct. They are Mrs. Henry A. James, Mrs. Robert L. Clyme, Mrs. Francis Mireau, Mrs. Isaiah B. Mills, Miss Anna Fell, Miss Dorothy Fell, Miss Grace Dungan, Miss Grace Worthington and Miss Helen Worthington, with as many more trying their 'prentice hand at it.

Corporations are amenable to the law and the rights of citizens are treated with respect in Bucks county even if they are not in other places and the Bucks County Public Service Company have had their lesson taught them at the county seat. After the court restrained them from trespassing on the land of William Hohlefelder they obtained the best legal advice possible and then did what they should have done in the first place, went to Mr. Hohlefelder and bought a right of way over his property and paid all the costs of the injunction proceedings as well as their attorneys.

William Neis has built a handsome building on east State street in which he proposes to conduct his wholesale liquor store and bottling business. As the arrangements of the new building take all of his teams to the rear of his property and there will be no loading or unloading on State street it will be a great improvement over the present methods and automobiles, teams and pedestrian will all join in giving thanks for the removal of the active part of the business to a place where it will not block the pavement or street. The new building has every modern convenience and apparatus in it and replaced two worn out frame buildings.

June term of Criminal court opens next Monday with a small list of cases, there being only thirty-two on the list, the principal one of which is the Linzi murder case which will probably be continued until next September.

Former Clerk of the Orphans' Court, Edward Stackhouse, is again in trouble and has two separate charges referred against him, the greater part of the balance of the list is composed of trivial offenses. Since defendants are allowed to plead guilty without having the bill laid before a Grand jury criminal trials have become few and far between as compared to some years ago when they all had to be tried.

George W. Ott will sail for Europe in the near future with the intention of proceeding at once to the Island of Guernsey and buying a herd of the celebrated Guernsey cattle for which the island is famous. All of his purchase will be thoroughbreds and he will ship them to his stock farm, near the county seat, which will be the Mecca of cattle fanciers for a long time.

Doylestown's Nature Club belongs to the ranks of the Progressives and is unusually active this year, not in a political way but in its methods of acquiring information. On Saturday thirteen of their number braved the uncertain weather and made a journey to Bartram's Gardens, in West Philadelphia, including the forestry exhibit now on at Horticultural Hall. Among those who took the trip were Mrs. Louis Buckman, Mrs. Charles R. Nightingale, Mrs. William Mason, Mrs. Irvin M. James, Mrs. Louis H. James, Mrs. Henry O. Harris, Miss Adelaide Buckman, Miss Avis Buckman, Miss Geraldine Buckman, Miss Marie M. James, Miss Lillie Martin, Mrs. Charles McKinstry and Earl Fell. The party report a thoroughly enjoyable trip during which much valuable information as to trees and plants was acquired.

Measles has taken a strong grip on the county seat and there is quite a fall in the percentage of attendance at the public schools. It has become an epidemic here now and has closely followed a small scarlet fever epidemic. Physicians say that as the scarlet fever epidemic progressed the cases became of a much milder type while the contrary is the case with the measles and that there are several severe cases here now.

A deed presented for record in the Recorder's office one day this week for a farm in Buckingham township by which the farm was conveyed to Richard Carver disclosed the fact that the farm had been in the family since 1784 when Joseph Carver obtained it. From Joseph it descended to John and then remained in the name of John Carver for three successive Johns, a period of one hundred and twenty-six years. It will still remain in the Carver name for another generation at least. There are a large number of farms in this county with a similar history but the march of improvement is causing many of them to be divided up into smaller tracts or they are being taken by trolley and railroad companies.

A four acre play ground for the county seat youngsters is now an assured fact through the generosity of W. Atlee Burpee, the seedsman. The title has been placed in the name of Mrs. Charles R. Nightingale, Mrs. John P. Stillwell, Mrs. W. Atlee Burpee, Mrs. William R. Mercer, Jr., Hugh B. Eastburn, Esq., Thomas A. Ross, Esq., John C. Swartley, Esq., George Watson and Dr. Frank B. Swartzander as trustees and for the purpose of seeing that the intention of the donor is properly carried out. It is too late this season to thoroughly equip it and anyhow necessary funds for that purpose are lacking although there is no doubt but that all the money needed will be forthcoming as soon as a definite plan has been formulated and the amount ascertained.

Pomanalie Club Outing.

The first summer outing of the Pomanalie Club, of Bristol, will be held on Sunday at the club grounds at Newportville. Benjamin Boucher's big stage will be used to convey the members to the fresh air resort. The day will be spent in indulging in varied sports, base ball games, races, quoit pitching and contests of skill and endurance.

Algonquin Club Elects Officers.

At the annual meeting of the members of the Algonquin Club, of Bristol, held on Tuesday evening the following officers were re-elected: President, Joseph R. Grundy; Vice Presidents, Howard I. James and B. S. Johnson; Secretary, H. H. H. Poole; Treasurer, James H. Brooks. George W Strauser, Louis C. Spring, Franklin Gilkeson and Earl Brown were elected members of the Board of Governors.

An amendment to the constitution was adopted eliminating the entrance fee for new members, but requiring that applications for membership be accompanied by six dollars, which will be credited for six months' dues.

MEMORIAL SERVICE HELD LAST NIGHT

Under the auspices of H. Clay Beatty Post, G. A. R., of Bristol, the annual Memorial Day service was held last evening in the Methodist church.

The large auditorium was filled and a very interesting and pleasing programme was rendered.

The address of the evening was made by Rev. G. M. Brodhead, D. D., the pastor of the church, who spoke eloquently and with feeling.

A unique feature was a reading by George Summerfeld, the blind young man, who is a member of the Son of Veterans, the raised letter system being used for the puprose.

There were several selections by the choir and responsive exercises by the commander and adjutant of the Post. Rev. S. M. Holden offered prayer and Rev. John A. Carr read a Scripture lesson.

Miss Edith Bird recited "Music on the Chickahominy."

Miss Rachel Brodhead sang a solo and E. S. Gilbert, an officer of the Post recited "Memorial Day Vision."

As is the annual custom Lincoln's Gettysburg address was read by Charles E. Scott.

Dr. C. E. Burns pronounced the benediction.

Weekly Church Notices.

ST. JAMES THE GREATER.
Second Sunday after Trinity.
Holy communion, 7.30 a. m.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Choral Eucharist and sermon, 10.30.
Evensong and sermon, 7.45.
Tuesday, service and instruction, at 7.45 p. m.
Friday, Morning prayer, 7.10.
Holy Eucharist, 7.30.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Sunday, 10.30 a. m., communion.
Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.
C. E. meeting, 7 p. m.
Evening service, 7.45.
Annual congregational meeting on Monday, 7.30 p. m.
Junior Endeavor at 4 p. m.

BAPTIST.
Morning service at 10.30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor and communion.
Sunday school at 2.00 o'clock.
Young people's meeting at 6.45.
The pastor will preach in the evening, service beginning at 7.45 o'clock.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. George M. Brodhead, D. D.
Class meeting, 9.30 a. m.
Brotherhood meeting, 9.45 a. m.
Worship and sermon by the pastor, 10.30 a. m.
Sunday school, 2 p. m. Special invitation to the beginners, primary and junior departments, where the new graded system has been introduced.
Song service conducted by B. F. Conner, Jr. Solos, duets, anthems and brief address by the pastor on one or two great hymns, 7.45.

BETHEL A. M. E.
Rev. J. A. Browne, pastor.
10.30, morning service.
2.00, Sunday school.
8.00, evening sermon and communion.

ST. PAULS EPISCOPAL.
Rev. Sever M. Holden, pastor.
10.30, morning service and sermon.
2.30 p. m., Sunday school.
7.30, evening prayer and sermon.
Meetings.
Monday, Girls' Friendly Society.
Tuesday, Girls' Club.
Thursday, Boys' Club.
Friday, choir practice.

CHRIST CHURCH, EDDINGTON.
Holy communion, 7.30 a. m.
Sunday school, 10.00.
Morning service and sermon, 10.45.
Saints' Days, holy communion, 7.30 a. m.

BRISTOL ELKS' ANNUAL BANQUET

The eighth annual banquet and entertainment, of Bristol Lodge, No. 970, B. P. O. Elks, was held at the home of the order on Tuesday evening, with one hundred twenty-five members participating in the pleasing event.

A banquet was served in the social session hall by a Philadelphia caterer followed by a vaudeville entertainment.

The following menu was served: clam cocktail, radishes, olives, toasted snapper, halibut steak, new potatoes, braised sweetbreads and peas, tenderloin of beef, Roman punch, stuffed roast chicken, tomato and lettuce salad, strawberries, ice cream, cakes and coffee.

Mothers' and Teachers' Interesting Meeting.

The Mothers' and Teachers' meeting which was held at Jefferson avenue school on Thursday of last week was well attended. The pupils of the grammar grades sang several songs very acceptably. The little ones of the primary rooms gave some very interesting games. These games are played at recess and give the children ease of action and good exercise. To-day much attention is being given to the physical health of children, because if they are healthy, they have a much better chance to make a success of life.

Mrs. Armand Morris read a short extract on the responsibility of mothers for the growth and health of their children.

Miss Anna Brady read a story about a self-pitying child. This resulted in a very interesting and helpful discussion. Miss Mathias read an account of some efforts that are being made to help the immigrants who arrive in such numbers at New York.

The social period was pleasantly spent, the refreshments of ice cream and cake were provided and served by the ladies of the Second and Fifth wards.

Debated Woman Suffrage.

The regular meeting of the Methodist Brotherhood, of Bristol, was held on Monday evening and was well attended. Fifteen new members were elected.

After the business part of the evening had been attended to the social end was in order which was started by a well rendered solo by B. Frank Connor, Jr. Mr. Connor was followed by James Guy, who sang with much gusto and brogue, one of the ballads from the Isle of Erin. Both solos were very much appreciated.

The debate on woman suffrage followed and the arguments were propounded by both sides. The teams were: affirmative, James Guy, Wesley Milnor, George A. Greene. Negative, Thomas B. Douglas, J. Franklin Myers, Doron Green.

The judges after a protracted discussion in another room awarded the decision in favor of the negative side. The entire company, victors and defeated, then adjourned to the basement where all animosity was forgotten at the sight of the treat served by the ladies.

The San Diego, California, Exposition will be placed in a magnificent park of one thousand four hundred acres overlooking the city and harbor.

BRISTOL'S OLDEST RESIDENT DEAD

Mrs. Margaret Stettler, in Her 98th Year, Died on Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Stettler, who was probably Bristol's oldest resident, died of general senility at the home of her niece, Mrs. Joel Sooy, 116 Wood street, Bristol, last Tuesday morning at three o'clock. The deceased, who was in her 98th year, was born in Philadelphia, December 16, 1815. She was the daughter of the late Christian and Mary Stillwater Sulger and widow of the late William Stettler.

This remarkable woman lived in every administration of the United States except three—Washington, Adams and Jefferson and was born only seventeen days after the death of the first President.

Mrs. Stettler moved to Bristol with her parents in 1835. The household goods were brought up the river in a shallop. Her father bought the property at the corner of Mill and Wood streets now occupied by Johnson Brothers, and there conducted a bakery. With the family came William Stettler who worked in the bakery and finally married the baker's daughter.

Up to within the last year or two Mrs. Stettler had an active mentality and was a great reader, keeping herself well posted upon current events. The funeral was held yesterday, the services being conducted by the Rev. W. T. Johnston. The interment took place at Trenton, in which city a son resides.

GRAND CHIEF MADE AN OFFICIAL VISIT

A very interesting and enthusiastic meeting of Star of the East Circle, No. 66, Brotherhood of America, was held on Saturday evening, with fifty-six visitors present from Philadelphia, Frankford, Bridesburg, Olney, Trenton and Camden, the special feature being an official visit of Wharton F. Lafferty, Grand Chief Washington of the State of Pennsylvania.

At eight o'clock a session of the circle was held, during which the officers of the Supreme Circle were presented, followed by the entrance of the grand chief and staff, escorted by a guard of the Knights of the Resolution, composed of thirteen Continental soldiers.

Very interesting and instructive addresses were made by the visiting members of the Supreme and Grand bodies.

Those present from the Grand Circle of Pennsylvania were Grand Chief Washington Wharton F. Lafferty, of Philadelphia; Grand Scroll Keeper, C. A. Leng; Grand Treasurer, Charles Zaiser; Grand Watcher of the Day, Robert W. Solly and the following of the board of deputies: Harry L. Manko, Howard M. Smith, Casper Miller, Edward Boehmer and John Ruhl.

Those from the Supreme Circle were: Past Supreme Washington, S. C. Hornblower, of Camden, N. J.; Supreme Scroll Keeper, H. B. Walton, of Philadelphia; Supreme Watcher of the Day, John A. Bensel, of Trenton; Supreme Ritualist, William L. News, of Olney, also Grand Exalted Washington, John M. Megargal, Grand Scroll Keeper, of the Grand Circle of New Jersey, David W. Doan, of Camden. There were also eight members of America Circle, No. 28, present.

The officers of Star of the East Circle are: Past Chief Washington, J. P. Stradling; Chief Washington, William A. Buck; Chief Jefferson, Ishmael Dawson; Chief Franklin, Joseph F. Buck; honorable register, George S. Wilkinson; honorable treasurer, A. Lincoln Watt; honorable scroll keeper, Charles W. Dalton; honorable herald, John P. Stout; Watcher of the day, Granville B. Stephenson; watcher of the night, George B. Roberts.

Much of the success of the occasion was due to the untiring efforts of the chairman of the committee, Ishmael Dawson.

50 New Members for Holy Name.

Last evening the Holy Name Society of St. Marks church, Bristol, held a reception at which time fifty new members were admitted. The Holy Name Society is one of Bristol's most active organizations, with fine headquarters and brass band of twenty pieces, and an athletic association, a complete gymnasium and a fine library.

Mrs. Thron Entertained.

Mrs. Frank Thron, of Green Lane, entertained her lady friends at a game of pinochle at her home Wednesday afternoon. Among those present were: Mrs. John Horner, Edgely; Mrs. Edward Peirce, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. George Hussey, Mrs. John Vanhorn, Bristol; Mrs. Marvin Case, Morrisville. There were also friends from Trenton and Plainfield. At five o'clock tea and refreshments were served.

Death of Andrew Tyrol.

Andrew Tyrol, 63 years old, formerly of Bristol, son of the late Wm. Tyrol, and brother of John J. Tyrol, of this place, died suddenly of heart disease in Philadelphia on Saturday. Mr. Tyrol was stricken while walking along the street near his home. The deceased was well known here and where he lived for many years. He leaves a widow, three daughters, two sons and four brothers.

The funeral services were held Wednesday morning with high mass in St. Marks church, Bristol. Interment was made in St. Marks churchyard.

Wedding and Commencement Gifts.

Come and look over our stock of hand painted china, new designs being added for June weddings. Orders taken for white and gold decorations with initials at reasonable prices. Inexpensive bureau sets, plates, vases and fancy pieces, pins, hat pins, etc., at Douglass' Pharmacy, Dorrance and Wood streets, Bristol.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vanhorn spent yesterday in Trenton.

Rev. W. T. Johnston returned on Tuesday from Detroit, where he attended the Baptist convention as a delegate.

A marriage license was granted in Philadelphia on Tuesday to James A. Hughes, of Bristol, and Miss Anna Richie, of Eddington.

J. Edward Lovett, real estate broker, has sold for Emma A. Woodington, the property, 313 Penn street, to Charles and Ronda Capello, of Bristol, for $1300.

The act known as the "muffler bill," introduced in the legislature by Senator Buckman passed the House this week and is now in the hands of the governor.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Leedom and the latter's sister, Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, and Miss Medora Leedom left early yesterday morning for an automobile trip to Gettysburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Childs and daughter, Mildred, of Colwyn, Pa., are spending the week with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McDonald, and family, of Bath street.

An application will be made soon for a charter for the Workingmen's Building and Loan Association of Bristol. Persons desiring shares should apply to H. W. Porter, attorney-at-law, 210 Radcliffe street.

The funeral of Mrs. Stella Batchelder, wife of Leon Batchelder, in her 25th year, whose death is announced in our Edgely correspondence, will be held this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. Emma Graham, at Headley Manor.

The annual strawberry festival under the auspices of the mothers' meeting of St. James church, will be held next Wednesday evening, June 4. Tickets, fifteen cents, including strawberries, ice cream and cake. There will be vocal and instrumental music.

Fallsington Items.

Edward B. Beans has gone to New Orleans for a few weeks.

The school picnic will be held at Burgess' woods on Thursday.

Miss Lena Bishop, of Tuckerton, N. J., is a visitor at Joshua Cope's.

Mrs. Martha Rowe, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Mathers at Langhorne.

The L. T. L. held its meeting at the home of Leon B. Sickles on Saturday evening.

Miss Florence Squires, of Princeton Junction, was the guest of Miss Ella Breese last week.

Edward Bailey and wife were over Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. Charles H. Carver.

Charles Brown has improved the appearance of his property by having the fence removed from his front yard.

Mrs. Della Chamberlain, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clucus, has returned to her home in Trenton.

The Friends' Sewing Society held their last meeting for the season on Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Edward Moon, Morris Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leigh and Miss Paulina Leigh spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leigh, who lives near Washington's Crossing.

The remains of Anna Collins, who died in the Mercer hospital, Trenton, last Sunday, were brought to the Fallsington Orthodox graveyard for interment on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Lovett entertained on Sunday last, Mrs. Mary Dunn and daughters, Grace and May, Mrs. Annie O. Brian and daughter, Louise, and John Rider, all of Trenton, also Miss Lillian Wright and Charles Satterthwaite.

A birthday party was given in honor of former Mayor Emory N. Yard, of Trenton, last Monday by Mr. and Mrs. William McClossy. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Deacon, Misses Mary and Effie Watson, Mrs. Beulah Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, William McClossy and wife and daughter, Helen, and Mr. Yard.

Two young boys, aged ten and twelve years, who ran away from the New Jersey Childrens' Home Society on Sunday, were found drifting down the Delaware river in Penn's Manor, in a row boat. They had a narrow escape from being capsized by the waves from the steamer, Springfield. Seeing a light at Penn's Manor wharf, they pulled their boat in to watch some men getting ready to fish, where they were questioned and found from their answers they were runaways. George Sawer, of Beverly, telephoned to Sergeant Alcott, at police headquarters, and was told to bring them back to Trenton on the trolley. They had stolen the boat, which is now awaiting the owner.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Advertisements under this head will be inserted for half a cent a word. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

FOR SALE—Falling-top buggy, set of light harness, whip and blanket for sale. Apply to J. J. YERKES, Cedar and Washington streets. 5-30-2t

FOR RENT—July 1, dwelling at No. 2 Mulberry street. Apply to JOSEPH S. PEIRCE, corner Mulberry and Cedar streets. 5-30 tf

FOR SALE—Refrigerator, gas stove, 23 and 25 yards of Brussels carpet, washing machine. Apply 212 Mill street.

FOR RENT—Furnished house for the summer. All conveniences. For information apply at 315 Radcliffe street.

DRESSMAKING and Plain Sewing. MRS. LAURA G. PFEIFFER, 3?? Washington street. 5-30-tf

WASHING AND IRONING—MRS. ROSLEY, 509 Otter street, is prepared to do washing and ironing at her home. 5-30-2t

WANTED—Good homes for children. Permanent homes in good families are desired for boys and girls from two to ten years of age, a few are older or younger. The children are both Catholic and Protestant and must be placed in families of their own faith. For further information address the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania, 419 S 15th street, Phila., Pa.

SALESMEN—Complete line Lubricating Oils, Auto Oils, Greases, Paints, Varnishes and Specialties. Experience not necessary. Salary or commission. CENTRAL PETROLEUM CO., Cleveland, O.

FOR SALE—Fine Jersey Cow with calf by her side. LEWIS R. WALTON, Andalusia, Pa. 5-23-tf

TO RENT—Furnished, for the summer months, a pleasant house, 503 Radcliffe street. Apply to GILKESON & JAMES. 5-23-tf

FOR SALE—21 ft. launch, 5 feet wide, 8-h. power, 2 cylinders. Engine cost when new, $350. Excellent condition, complete equipment, including magneto cushions, flags, whistle, bell, etc. Twice winner of the Lintonhurst cup. Speed about 9 or 10 miles an hour. Boat will be sold for the cost of the engine alone. J. S. WRIGHT, 220 Radcliffe street. 5-16-tf

SEWING—Dressmaking and plain sewing. Mrs. George L Horn, 216 Cedar street, Bristol. 5-9-tf

FOR SALE—One light express wagon, one buggy, two new hand-made 16-ft. ladders, spruce rails, split hickory rungs, one wheelbarrow, wood pumps, tubing and pump fixtures. Wm. Madden, corner Wood and Mulberry streets. 4-25-tf

FENCING—Pittsburg Perfect, poultry, lawn, farm, sold and erected. S. B. ARDREY & SONS, Pond street, Bristol, Pa. 4-4-tf

LAWN MOWERS repaired and sharpened. S. B. ARDREY & SONS, Pond street, Bristol, Pa. 4-4-tf

GOULD'S SPRAY PUMPS—All styles in stock. Send for 1913 catalogue. H. E. TROTMAN, 111 N. Third St., Phila. 3-7-13t

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Bank Stock at Auction

To settle the estate of Abby L. Walmsley, deceased. Forty shares of the capital stock of the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County will be sold in front of the bank in Bristol the 10th of Sixth month (June) 1913, at 11 A. M. EDWARD H. FOSTER, Executor.
5-30-2t

WM. E. McMULLEN
Successor to
Smith's Cutlery Shop

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And the boy with his trousers upturned;
And the man with the hat made of plush I assort.
I can stand, though the fad I have spurned.
I can stand for the guy with the white in his vest.
And not even grin when he passes.
But I snicker and smile, when I gaze on, the while,
The guy with the tortoise shell glasses.
I don't mind the man with the rakish green hat
With the bow in the back, nor the fellow
Who trims off each shoe with an up-to-date spat,
Nor the brother whose gloves are bright yellow.
But I'm ready to flee, when that dandy I see,
The guy with the tortoise shell glasses.
I can put up with him who must trim off each sleeve
With a row of pearl buttons, and note
In silence the man (though I secretly grieve)
With the braid on the edge of his coat.
The man with the handkerchief worn to be seen
No longer my feelings harasses.
But I do yearn to smile, with my left and my right,
The guy with the tortoise shell glasses.
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MASS OF BILLS IN THE SENATE

Legislature Has Much to Do Before Adjournment.

CHARITY BILLS PASS HOUSE

Measure to Hold Convention to Revise State Constitution May Be Allowed to Die—After the Insurance Trust.

By ROBERT HAIGHT.

Harrisburg, May 27.

At last the members of the legislature have been able to see some signs of definite adjournment in sight and while no positive date has yet been fixed the assembly will work henceforth with the thought in mind that they will be able to adjourn sine die on June 12. Therefore from now until that time hard work will be indulged in by both houses with this date in view, and judging from the way in which the house passed appropriation bills last week every piece of legislation which has been marked for passage will be acted upon and all contending elements will at least be partially satisfied.

It is true that the various committees of the senate are still loaded down with bills which have been sent to them from the house, but it is also true that the majority of these will not be acted upon. They are principally of that class of bills which it was never expected that should be acted on finally by both houses, and they are for the most part the outcome of the complex character of the membership which comprises the house this session, due to the recent upset condition of the political horizon. Indeed in the early days of the session the house seemed to be in the mood to pass any and all legislation placed before it, with the thought uppermost in mind that the senate would never finally agree to it becoming a law, and it was with this thought in mind that the sponsors of a lot of the bills urged them for passage in the house.

This, however, is not the case with a lot of the legislation still before the senate committees, and as much of this is of a public nature it will no doubt be acted upon before the day of final adjournment. The most important bills of this nature which are being clamored for by at least a portion of the community are the ones sponsored by the Progressives bearing on the proposed changes in the election machinery of the state. These bills in brief provide for the enactment of a state wide primary law which would wipe out the holding of any more state conventions for the nomination of state officials, a bill providing that the voter must enroll as a member and supporter of a certain party before he shall be eligible to receive a ballot; a drastic measure forbidding the voter to call for assistance in the marking of his ballot, no matter what his defects might be, and a few other bills of minor importance.

In addition to these there is still pending in the senate committee the bill passed by the house providing for the holding of a convention to revise the constitution of the state, but it's hardly likely that this will ever be reported to the senate and a vote taken on the proposition. The leaders of all parties seem to be a unit on the belief that this document needs revising and bringing down to date, but the more conservative element believes that it would be disastrous to the form of good government to wrestle with such a momentous question at this particular time, when the public mind is in a more or less inflamed condition. It therefore seems likely that this subject will be sidestepped and allowed to lie dormant for the next two years.

Among the other matters which the senate has yet to consider are the public utilities bill, which has finally passed the house and been sent to the senate for concurrence; the child labor, workmen's compensation and minimum wage bills and the blue sky bill relating to the issuance of watered stock. It is expected that some slight changes may be made by the senate in the first named bill, as the powerful corporations are objecting strenuously to that feature of it which will allow competing companies to use the same lines of the older companies, and the elimination of this clause may lead to a temporary deadlock between the two houses. Aside from a few other unimportant changes the bill seems to be acceptable to the senate, and its early disposal is looked for after these kinks are straightened out.

Attacking the Insurance Trust.

The attempts which have been made for several sessions past to enact some kind of a law having a curb on the arbitrary ratings on premiums for fire insurance risks having failed, it is now proposed by the terms of a resolution introduced in the house by Richard J. Baldwin, of Delaware county, to hold a public investigation into this subject by a joint committee of the senate and house and report its findings back to the next legislature, with a view to having some kind of a bill passed that will prove equitable to both the insurer and the insured. According to the terms of the resolution rates vary greatly in different localities, and there is at present no legislation controlling the methods of the combinations nor giving authority for the supervision of rates. Owners of insurable property are compelled to pay the rates demanded because the alleged combinations have a practical monopoly of the business and hence are in a position to drive out any possible competition.

The resolution is really the outcome of the recent proceedings in Pittsburgh, when in the course of the trial against the Allegheny County Fire Underwriters Association, Deputy Attorney General Cunningham declared that the fire insurance business was in reality in the hands of a trust that was prejudicial to the healthy conduct of business, and after a lengthy legal contest the courts decided that competition was throttled by the underwriters' associations and a decree was handed down dissolving these associations. An appeal from this decision is now pending in the higher courts, and should the lower courts be sustained it is feared that the insurance companies will take the same ground as those operating in the state of Missouri did when they refused to longer continue in business unless they were allowed to combine.

The Baldwin resolution, it is hoped, will pave the way for some legislation at the next session of the legislature. It provides for the appointment of a commission of two senators and three members of the house, which is to organize within thirty days of its appointment and make the necessary investigation as to whether such combinations are in accordance with wise public policy, necessary for maintaining the solvency of insurance companies and beneficial to the public. An appropriation of $10,000 is made to defray the necessary expenses of the investigation, and the commission is authorized to subpoena witnesses and force the production of books and papers necessary to the proper conduct of the inquiry.

Commission For Third Class Cities.

It is expected that the bill presented in the senate by Senator Clark, of Erie, and adopted by that body, providing for a commission form of government for the third class cities of the state will be passed by the house within the next few days practically without amendment as it came from the senate. Threats are being made by the opponents of the measure to endeavor to amend it on second reading so as to make it read that the necessary number of signers to an initiative and referendum petition shall be 15 per cent of the electors instead of 20 per cent. Another amendment would make the term of the councilmen four years and that of the mayor six years, while the bill at present calls for two years for councilmen and four years for the mayor.

The sponsors of the bill in its present form say that since its introduction and passage in the senate it has been thoroughly discussed in the different localities affected and has met with the approval of a large percentage of the voters and hence they are opposed to any changes being made in it. The cities which would be affected by the change are as follows: Harrisburg, Allentown, New Castle, Williamsport, Titusville, Erie, Oil City, Altoona, Carbondale, Chester, Meadville, Corry, Wilkes-Barre, Lebanon, Bradford, York, Easton, Johnstown, McKeesport, Hazleton and Pittston. The new form of government will take effect on the first Monday of December next, and it is provided that the commissioners shall be elected in November, and the old officers, such as mayors and councilmen, will terminate their offices at the time the commissioners go into office. The officers provided for are a mayor, to be elected for four years; four councilmen, to be elected at one time to serve two years, and one auditor, to serve two years. These are to be chosen by the voters at large instead of by wards, and all nominations and elections are to be made by non partisan ballots. Salaries are provided for within the following limits: For mayors, maximum $3500 and minimum $500, and for councilmen, maximum $3000 and minimum $250.

It is stipulated in the bill that all grants to public service corporations may be submitted to a referendum vote of the electors, but all other ordinances except such as are certified to be urgent for the preservation of the public health, peace and safety, or when otherwise ordered by the general laws of the state, or required or permitted by the provisions of the act, shall be submitted to a referendum vote of 10 per cent of the electors. Not more than one referendum vote is to be held within a period of six months, but it is permissible to submit more than one ordinance at the same election, and ordinances may be brought before councils upon the initiative petition of 15 per cent of the voters.

The house has defeated by a decisive vote the last of the bills before it having a bearing on the liquor cause. This was a measure adopted by the senate some days ago giving the applicant for a renewal of a license who has been refused the right to appeal to the superior court, the appeal in the meantime acting as a supersedeas and allowing the saloonkeeper to continue in business until the higher court has finally handed down a decision in the case. Heretofore the liquor lobby has been successful in defeating legislation advanced by the Anti-Saloon league on the ground that the present license law is so nearly a model that no amendments or changes should be made in it, and this plea has been successful.

It has been definitely decided that there will be no legislative, senatorial or judicial apportionment bill passed at this session, but that a strong effort will be made to pass the congressional apportionment bill in order to comply with the terms of the constitution.

A Lesson In Politeness.

"Johnny, did you make the baby cry?"

"Yes, I did. I asked him sumfin', an' he wouldn't say 'Yes, sir,' so I gave him a lesson in politeness just like you give me. I slapped him."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

His Business.

"What business are you engaged in?"

"Collecting."

"Collecting what?"

"The living the world owes me."—Boston Transcript.

The Storm.

Heck—What was the worst storm you ever encountered? Peck—I think it raged at the rate of 300 words a minute.—Boston Transcript.

A School Coinage.

It is not a generally known fact that the Bluecoat school (Christ's hospital) once possessed a coinage of its own. At that time the coin of the realm could not be used at the hospital. Before he could buy anything in the "tuck shop" a new boy had to get one of the beadles, who were the school money changers, to change his shillings and pence into "house money," as it was called. This was made of copper, the coins being octagonal in shape, with their values stamped on them. These curious coins are now very rare, and numismatists possessing any are fortunate.—London Globe.

Meeting Requirements.

A woman buying groceries was annoyed by the whistling of the clerk who waited on her. She complained to the proprietor about it, and after she had gone that worthy gazed with a soul shaking frown on the boy and inquired why he had been so rude.

"Didn't you tell me the other day if I sold that lady anything on time I'd have to whistle before I got my money?" inquired the clerk, who felt sure of his ground.—Indianapolis News.

Out of Place.

A sentry, an Irishman, was on post duty for the first time at night when the officer of the day approached. He called, "Who comes there?"

"Officer of the day," was the reply.

"Then what are yez doin' out at night?" asked the sentry.—Rural Life.

A Hard Job.

"Good gracious! What makes you look like that? Has anything happened?"

"Well, I had my portrait painted recently by an impressionist, and I'm trying to look like it."—Fliegende Blatter.

Careful Mr. Smith.

Dr. Pill (meeting former patient)—Ah, good morning, Mr. Smith! How are you feeling this morning? Mr Smith—*Doctor,* does it cost anything if I tell you?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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The Golden Tortoise

Strange Guide Leads a Prospector to Love and Fortune

By CLARISSA MACKIE

That hole in the ground represented all of Beekman's hard earned money. He stood there smiling bitterly down into the dark shaft of the worthless mine. He saw the years it had taken him to scrape together a few thousand dollars; he saw the lamblike innocence with which he had paid his money over to his friend Hale and received in return the papers that made him owner of the King Midas gold mine in the heart of the Sierra Nevada mountains of California.

He had waited another year and then closed his little law office, leaving his practice in the hands of a brother in the profession, and came on to California to visit his mine. He had longed for this vacation with its promise of a rich outdoor life, its toil filled days and dreamless nights and then perhaps the realization of his hopes—a modest fortune with leisure to pursue his art studies under this warm and friendly western sky.

He had come west. He had outfitted at the nearest large town and with one or two hirelings had gone up the long and tortuous trail that led to the Midas mine. One of his men, old Bill Heneker, who had been a forty-niner, whistled softly as they turned from the main trail into one that was nearly overgrown with young pines and the menacing thorn bush.

"Do you know this trail?" asked Beekman as Bill's astonished whistle broke the silence.

"Some," said the other dryly.

"Do you know the King Midas property?"

"Never heard of such a claim. I thought this trail led to the Old Glory Hole mine," evaded Bill, his eyes fixed on his pipe.

"How about you, Peter?" Beekman asked the other man.

"Never been up this way before," asserted Peter.

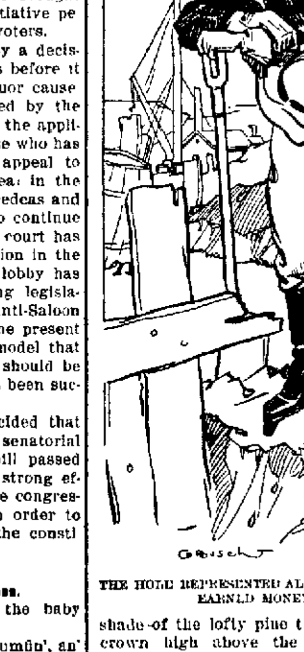
Somewhat puzzled by their sudden reticence on a subject upon which he had found them only too voluble, Beekman had doggedly followed their lead until the end of the day brought them to a dry creek bed and close to it the small shaft opening of an abandoned mine. It was Bill Heneker who had hastened to the shaft house to look at the weather beaten placard posted there.

"'The King Midas Mine, James Hale Owner.' Is this what you're looking for, Mr. Beekman?" asked the old man, with a queer sidewise glance at Peter.

"Yes. Is this the mine?" returned Beekman, with a sudden sinking of the heart.

"Seems to be," said Bill gruffly.

"Then we may as well make camp." Phil Beekman had sat down in the



THE HOLE REPRESENTED ALL HIS DEARLY EARNED MONEY.

shade of the lofty pine that thrust its crown high above the surrounding trees, and after a careful study of the map he had received from Hale he was ready to accept this spot as being the Golconda of which he had dreamed.

It had taken two days to discover the utter worthlessness of the mine. When the rubbish had been cleared away and some of the rusted machinery hoisted to the surface it was Bill Heneker who had broken the news to the easterner.

"It's the Old Glory Hole mine masquerading under a new name. I worked in her fifteen years back, and the few ounces of gold nuggets that had been salted into her were all we ever found. Your friend did you up mighty neat, sir." The old man shambled away toward the tent they had erected and busied himself with the pack burros.

And so Beekman stood looking down into the hole in the ground that represented all of his dearly earned money. He had apprenticed himself to a profession that he might attain a competence with leisure to pursue the study of art—even now he was no mean illustrator—and, chafing against the tedium of waiting, he had staked his savings on this one throw—and lost.

He would have to begin all over again. The very thought of it nauseated him, and he determined to remain in California even if he had to seek some new employment. For awhile at least he would stay away from his hated law books and revel in the mountain life. His sketch book would be the richer for the experience.

So he paid his men and sent them away down the mountain side, while he remained alone on the worthless bit of land he could call his own. The days were dull enough when he was not sketching, for continually there were thoughts of his traitorous friend Hale and gradually there grew upon him the conviction that Hale's action might have had a double motive. There was a girl back there in New York in whom both the young men were interested. The thought came to Beekman now that possibly Hale had desired a clear field and had thus cleverly disposed of his rival financially as well as bodily.

Edith Lenton belonged to a rich family. That was another reason why Phil Beekman wanted money. He had dreamed of going back with filled pockets and bringing her out to his El Dorado, together with his sketch books, but all that was out of the question now. By the time he had saved more money, enough to give him courage to approach her, Hale would have won out and it would be too late.

So he spent the dreary days sleeping at night under the pine boughs, inhaling the spicy breath of the mountains, cooking his own meals, bathing in the waters of a tumbling cascade close at hand, sketching until he was weary and night again claimed him and closed his eyes.

It was a lonely life, but in the end it proved to be a healthy one, for Phil broadened out marvelously, and his face lost its city pallor and was most becomingly brown.

One day he packed a lunch and, with sketching block and pencils in his pocket, set forth, hoping for some material in the surrounding valleys. Just as the midday sun was throwing squat shadows of the trees against the ground Phil stumbled across a most inviting spot. Within a circle of gigantic pines there was a little broken gully bordered with wild flowers in a riot of color. Near by a little rill of cold water burst from the rocky soil and splashed musically in a stony pool.

Refreshed by his luncheon and lured by the quiet beauty of the spot, Phil reclined on the pine needles and idly watched the flowers dipping in the light breeze.

All at once something bright attracted his eye, and he watched it curiously. It flashed in the sunlight, and he realized that it moved, but so slowly that on a cloudy day its movements might have been imperceptible. After awhile it flashed again among the flowers and was lost to sight.

Lazily yawning, Phil got upon his feet and went to investigate. What he saw he never forgot.

Slowly creeping among the flower roots was a large land tortoise, perhaps ten inches long. It was much like other tortoises save that its armor plate appeared to be of pure gold.

With a whoop of excitement Phil picked up the tortoise and examined the shell, careful to keep his fingers from the snapping, angry jaws of the little black head.

It was gold—pure, virgin gold—which had accumulated on the back of the animal until his armor plate was worth many dollars. Where had he come from? Where was he going? Back to his golden nest, where perchance his rough shell had grazed so continually against pure gold that in the years of his existence he had amassed a fortune upon his back?

Philip Beekman asked himself these questions with dizzying haste. Then upon sober reflection he decided to release the tortoise and follow it to its home—if it took a year to get there.

"I've tried the hare's mode of progress—the get-rich-quick method. Now I'll give the tortoise way a trial," he muttered grimly, and, so saying, he placed the tortoise on the ground and waited patiently while it recovered from its fright and once more resumed its leisurely journey. It was headed down the dry gully, and Philip followed it, pausing occasionally to sketch but never losing sight of his golden guide.

At nightfall he had progressed perhaps 200 feet, but he was not dismayed. He bored a small hole in the edge of the upper shell, receiving a severe bite in consequence. In this hole he inserted the end of a piece of copper wire that his pocket had produced and so tethered his captive to a small tree. He threw himself on the dry needles close by and slept until daylight, when the scrape of the wire across his bare hand awoke him.

The golden tortoise had bitten through the wire and was resuming his interrupted journey, trailing the length of copper in his wake.

Phil arose and resumed his tedious chase of the tortoise, and it led him through thickets of rhododendron and thorn bush, up rocky hillsides and down slippery knolls covered with pine needles, until long after noon on that second day he toiled wearily up the bed of a dried water course and saw his tortoise disappear in a crevice among the rocks.

Here, then, must be the gold lined chamber where the tortoise had found his precious coat of mail.

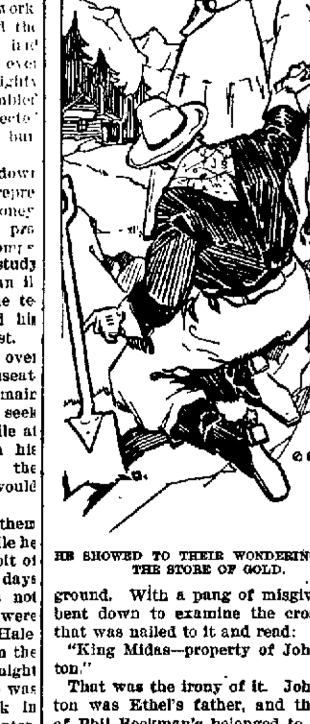
His compass told him he had been moving toward his camp at King Midas mine, and he knew that he could not be very far away from that spot. He had held the copper wire, with his captive struggling at the other end, which was lost among the rocks. Once more he tethered the creature to a small sapling and hastened on.

In ten minutes he sighted the ridge pole of his tent, and ten minutes more found him back at the tortoise hole with pick and shovel. He arrived just in time to see the tortoise escaping for the second time.

A few downward thrusts of the pick and he could pry the loose, sand cemented rocks asunder. An hour's hard work revealed the turtle's hole—such a pocket of gold as he had never dreamed about! He laid bare the corner of a ledge that was rich in the precious metal.

He had gloated over the find for an hour before it occurred to him that this was not his land and he must stake a claim and file it, provided that it was not already staked.

As he hurried back to his camp he stumbled over a stake thrust in the



HE SHOWED TO THEIR WONDERING EYES THE STORE OF GOLD.

ground. With a pang of misgiving he bent down to examine the crosspiece that was nailed to it and read:

"King Midas—property of John Lenton."

That was the irony of it. John Lenton was Ethel's father, and this find of Phil Beekman's belonged to a man who was already rolling in money, while the rascally Hale had palmed off the worthless Glory Hole under the assumed name of King Midas. It was a pretty mess of affairs, and Phil tasted to the uttermost the bitter cup of disappointment.

He was standing there when voices reached his ear and steps sounded on the mountain trail. He turned to stare at a man and a girl, and they stared back at him until recognition awoke cordial greetings.

It was John Lenton and his daughter Ethel, and her welcome of the young prospector reproached him for his belief that he needed a fortune to enhance his desirability in her eyes.

"I've got a mine out here somewhere, and, as I needed a vacation, I thought I'd run out and look it up. Ethel insisted that she should come too. I expect it's a hole in the ground and nothing more—eh, Beekman?"

"If it's the King Midas mine," said Phil slowly, "I've just discovered something that will make you glad you came out."

"It is the King Midas. What about it?" asked the other promptly.

Phil told him the whole story, omitting nothing save the name of Hale. Then he took them to the water course where the golden tortoise had his hole and showed to their wondering eyes the store of gold. And as if in confirmation of his story the gold plated creature crawled forth blinkingly into the sunlight.

"I believe this ledge runs along and down toward your Glory Hole!" cried Lenton after a long examination of the property. "Now that you have discovered the gold for me, suppose we form a partnership of the two mines and work 'em for what they're worth. We ought to call it the Golden Tortoise. What do you say, Phil?"

"There is only one thing to say," said the young man gratefully. "Yet I am not afraid to protest that there is one other thing that will make me the happiest man in the world if you will grant it, sir."

"Come and ask me about that after supper tonight," said John Lenton with an enigmatic smile at his lovely daughter, and then he turned his back and walked to the old Glory Hole shaft and looked down, and there he saw a happy old age, the fulfillment of love and perhaps grandchildren playing about his knees when he was weary of the business world.

Those two, standing alone by the home of the Golden Tortoise, saw nothing but an earthly paradise.

The Important Parts Done.

A reporter was sent around to make some inquiries concerning a new play that David Belasco was engaged in writing.

"Yes," said Mr. Belasco, "I am writing a play. What do you want to know about it?"

"Anything you can tell me will be interesting," was the reply.

"Well," was Belasco's response, "it is to have four acts and three intermissions and I've just finished the intermissions."—New York American.

London's Destructive Atmosphere.

The smoke and soot that are always in the atmosphere (there are 6,000 tons of soot hanging over London every day) contain lots of sulphur, and this sulphur when it meets certain substances forms sulphuric acid or vitriol. It was the vitriol in the atmosphere that brought the great roof of Charing Cross station down with a crash a few years ago. The engine smoke had eaten away the iron, which was insufficiently painted. And some years ago, before the London underground was electrified, it was a great joke at one of the stations for passengers to go and poke umbrellas into a certain iron girder, which at one point was nearly as soft as putty. Paint is in such cases the engineer's great standby. In some ways paint is more powerful than iron. Many London buildings might be said to be practically held together by paint, particularly railway stations.—Pearson's Weekly.

Lang Willie's Retort.

A Scotch caddie is almost certain to be a shrewd observer of men and things, and he is frequently gifted with a sharp tongue of his own.

Lang Willie was for many years a well known figure on the St. Andrews golf links. On the occasion of Louis Kossuth's visit to St. Andrews a public dinner was given in his honor, and Willie applied for a ticket to the baillie who was in charge of the arrangements. The worthy man curtly refused the application, saying to Willie that it was "no place for the likes of him to be at the dinner."

"No for the likes of me!" was Willie's indignant rejoinder. "I've been in the company of gentlemen from 11 to 4 o'clock maist days for the last thirty year, and that's mair than you can say."

Blowing Out an Egg.

To blow out an egg make a small hole in each end, bore the holes with a large darning needle or hatpin, pressing steadily, but not too hard, and twisting the point round and round until a small hole has been punctured; then enlarge the hole slightly with the sharp point of your scissors, being careful not to crack the shell in doing so. Make the hole in the large end of the shell a trifle larger than the one in the small end. Hold the egg over a bowl, put the small end to your lips and blow steadily until all the egg has run out of the shell.

Hardly Ever.

"Other things being equal," she asked, "don't you think a girl has a better chance than a widow has to get married?"

"Perhaps," he replied, "but a widow hardly ever gives a man a chance to consider other things equal."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Reason Why.

"You haven't many relatives, have you?"

"Worlds of them."

"I never meet any of them at your house."

"No; they've all got more money than I have."—Judge.

Sound to Be Missed.

"Will anybody miss me when I'm gone?"

"Plenty of people. There's the piano man with his dollar a week, the encyclopedia man with his dollar and the insurance agent with his 50 cents."—Kansas City Journal.

The Poor Waiter.

Old Lady (who has been lunching with her son)—Here, William, you left this quarter on the table by mistake. It's lucky I saw it, because the waiter had his eye on it.—Life.

Every Man Carries Gasoline.

Every man carries gasoline—some more, some less—and the spark of inspiration, if touched at the right time, is apt to start something.—Trail Blazer.

Toward evening the lazy man begins to be busy.—Greek Proverb.

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Modern "Antiques."

There is a class of traveling Americans who put not their trust in the dealers in antiques in European cities, but go prowling about in castles and peasant houses seeking to discover for themselves rare and ancient bits of furniture, pottery and the like. So persistent and large has this class grown that the dealers, feeling the trade in spurious antiques was falling off, have resorted to the plan of stocking some of these chateaux and peasant houses with modern "period stuff." And they say that the amateur discoverers are perfectly happy in their ignorance.

One of these collectors had "discovered" and bought from a farmhouse in the Eifel, that picturesque volcanic plateau in western Prussia, a wonderfully carved cabinet. The farmhouse was at the top of a steep hill, and the American walked close to the husky porter as he carried the cabinet carefully down. The "treasure" was heavy, the day was warm, and the porter grunted at every other step.

"That's a pretty heavy load—to carry that cabinet down the hill," said the American.

"Yes," agreed the porter, stopping to rest a moment, "but it was heavier still when I took it up the hill a week ago."—Harper's.

The Castor Oil Plant.

The rapid growth of the castor oil plant has become proverbial. Some commentators have declared that the plant known as Jonas' gourd was the castor oil plant. There are vast plains in Bengal covered with the oil producing vegetable. Immediately after the monsoon, when the water has receded, the peasant rakes the mire and puts the oil plant seeds in the ground two by two. The plants rapidly develop their great leaves and produce their fruit, which grows in groups of capsules, acquiring a coppery green color mottled with purple and rich carmine. When the hot sun has dried the pods they burst. The women and children watch the pods, and when the first crack appears they are ready to catch the precious seeds within. When the seeds have dried a few days the natives toast them, crush them in a mortar and plunge them in boiling water, when the oil rises to the surface.—Exchange.

Jade.

Jade is regarded by the Chinese as the most precious of precious stones. You can buy a small piece in white for £10, but a similar specimen in emerald green would cost you from £35 to £50. The value of the stone depends on the coloring and especially on transparency, luster and brilliance of the beautiful emerald green, usually distributed in splashes through the matrix, which may be white or greenish, or even tinted with lavender. Rarely indeed does it occur in sufficient quantity to furnish a large example. Sometimes small pieces are selected to be made into beads of the purest emerald tint, free from those flecks which depreciate their worth. In the sunlight, if you examine such beads, you will find that they approach the emerald in purity of tone.—J. F. Blacker in London Opinion.

England's First Coffee.

Coffee, like tea, was from an early date welcomed as a rival to alcoholic liquors. Writing in 1659, shortly after its introduction into England, Howell makes the comment "that this coffa drink hath caused a great sobriety amongst all nations. Formerly clerks, apprentices, etc., used to take their morning drafts in ale, beer or wine, which often made them unfit for business. Now they play the good fellows in this wakeful and civil drink. The worthy gentleman, Sir James Muddiford, who introduced the practice thereof first in London, deserves much respect of the whole nation."

Between Girls.

"Why the cogitation?"

"I dislike to take my engagement ring to a jeweler, and yet I should like to know what it cost. But it would embarrass me to take it to a jeweler."

"You needn't. There are at least two girls in our set who have had it valued."—Kansas City Journal.

The Human Voice.

A contributor to the Paris Gaulois claims that the human voice is becoming lower. He says that ten generations ago our ancestors hardly knew what a bass voice was. Today the average male voice is a baritone. A lowering of pitch is also noticeable among women. Sopranos are becoming rarer.

They Do Not Speak Now.

Kate—I want to have some pictures taken. Can you recommend a photographer?

Marie—Well, there's Tripodd. They say he has a wonderful way of making plain people look handsome.—Boston Transcript.

Had Good Sense.

Father—That young man of yours has more brains than I gave him credit for. Daughter—Oh, papa! You don't really mean it? Father—Yes. Instead of coming to see me he called me up on the telephone.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Patient Suffering.

Mere pain is not education, does not bring growth. It is the suffering of willing submission to God that softens and spiritualizes and blesses us.—Phillips Brooks.

Only a cheap person will try to make another person feel cheap.—Youth's Companion.

A Good Motto.

It is only the thinking man who says things worthy of utterance. Some talk the livelong day, yet say nothing. Hang this motto on the wall of memory, "Speak little; say much."

The Pessimist.

Bookkeeper (to boss)—Mr. Grouch, I'm going to get married. Grouch—Glad to hear it. You won't be so all fired anxious to get home early.—Business.

Explained.

Barber (rather slow)—Beg pardon, sir, but your hair is turning a bit gray. Victim—Shouldn't wonder. Look at the time I've been here.—Exchange.

Giving Up.

"I gave up smoking to please Rosa and drinking to please Nellie."

"What did you give up to please Marie?"

"Nothing as yet. She wants me to give up the two other girls."—Pittsburgh Post.

Defines Economy.

"What is the meaning of economy?"

"Economy, my son, is going without something you do want in case some day you should want something which you probably won't want."—Exchange.

The Intelligent Bohemian Life.

Corot, the French landscape painter, was a model of consistent bohemianism of the best kind. When his father said, "You shall have £80 a year, your plate at my table and be a painter or you shall have £4,000 to start with if you will be a shopkeeper," his choice was made at once. He remained always faithful to true bohemian principles, fully understanding the value of leisure.

Inspired Patriotism.

The late Senator Hoar was once importuned to lend his influence in behalf of a chronic office seeker. It was not a difficult matter to gratify the applicant's ambition by securing for him a place as consul at a Guianian port, which was not considered a highly desirable office. The newly appointed official had served but a short time, however, when his wife, unable to withstand the malignant climate, sickened and died. Disheartened and discouraged, he resigned his post and returned home.

Some years later the senator was mildly surprised at being again approached by the ex-consul, who asked for reappointment to his old berth. "Perhaps I can do something for you," said Mr. Hoar; "but, considering your tragic experience there, your request seems a little strange."

"I know," explained the aspirant, a trifle ruefully, "but, you see, senator, I'm married again."—Judge.

The Uses of Talc.

Talc, derived from soapstone found in various quarters of the world and in many states of our Union, is as a general thing marketed as rough from the mine. It is sawed into slabs, from which are manufactured various objects, or it is ground into powder. A great deal of the ground talc is employed in the manufacture of paper. It also enters into the making of molded rubber forms and foundry facings and paints, but the form in which it is most familiar is the toilet powder. Not only is talcum dusted into gloves and shoes to obviate friction, but it is also blown into conduits to ease the introduction of electric wires or other conductors. Soapstone is largely employed in the manufacture of laundry tubs and similar articles. The very best grades of talc free from flaws are sawed up to make pencils or crayons. Gas tips are also made from talc.—Harper's.

An Artist's Slip.

Sir John Gilbert was once commissioned to illustrate a short story for a London weekly. When he had finished the work the editor remarked, "Why, Sir John, the story says an escort of infantry soldiers, and here on the block you have given us mounted ones." "Dear me, so I have," responded the artist, "but I haven't time to do another drawing now. Can't you make an alteration in the story to make it fit in?" The copy was handed to a subordinate to make the requisite alterations, but that gentleman forgot to edit the chapter describing how the soldiers had gained the summit of a steep mountain, parts of which they were obliged to scale with ladders. Horses could not have been got there unless by the assistance of a crane. Afterward shoals of letters from subscribers wished to know how the cavalry got there.

The Golfer's Wager.

A man who knows baseball, but never played golf, was talking to a professional golfer and remarked that the latter's pet game was at best only a piddling sort of affair.

"Well," said the golfer, "I'll wager you that I can play around this eighteen hole course in fewer strokes than you can throw the ball, and you need not bother to put it in the cups, but throw as far as you can every time."

Instantly the bet was made, and then the baseball enthusiast began to figure. The golfer could do the course in seventy-two strokes. To equal that the other would have to make seventy-two throws of an average length of 250 feet, the course being 6,000 yards. For an ordinary man this would be an impossible task.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Applause and the Stage.

In the Konzert-Taschenbuch is an article by Felix Weingarner on "Applause," in which the director says: "The relation between the public and the artist rests on what is rendered by both. The artist gives his strength, his knowledge and the fruit of his life's work. The public can give nothing but its recognition. As the individual has not opportunity to speak his approval, the logical way to show it is by applause." The writer says that he has never known a case where this form of satisfaction on the part of an audience has failed to please, all declarations on the part of modest stage folk to the contrary notwithstanding. Beethoven resented silence, and Wagner "loved applause."

Teeth of the Sperm Whale.

Instead of having plates of baleen the square nosed sperm whale carries a row of twenty to twenty-five heavy teeth on each side of the lower jaw. These fit into sockets in the roof of the mouth and assist in holding the giant squid and cuttlefish on which the enormous animal feeds. The squid seldom gets away from the warm currents; hence the sperm usually remains in the tropics.

How to Look Young.

She—I sent a dollar to a young woman for a recipe to make me look young.

He—What did you get?

She—A card saying, "Always associate with women twenty years older than yourself."

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She—We women are all misunderstood. He—Well, you never saw one who tried to make herself plain, did you?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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